NHamp
352.07
C21
1987

1987
ANNUAL REPORT
of the Town of
Canaan, New Hampshire

University of New Hampshire

© Margo Taussig Pinkerton

IN HONOR OF GILBERT DOWNING

FOR HIS 53 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CANAAN FIRE DEPARTMENT

We the Townspeople of Canaan take this opportunity to thank "Gibby" for his service to the community. As Chief of the Canaan Fire Department he has seen a new era in fire fighting come to existence. With his support a guidance a new station has been built and the department will move on to become a bigger and better department. We all owe a debt of gratitude for a man as dedicated to the community as Chief Gilbert Downing.

WE THANK YOU "GIBBY" FOR A JOB WELL DONE.

TABLE OF CONTENTS

Town Officers 1
Town Warrant 5
Cemetery Report 15
Budget 16
Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures 20
Detailed Statement of Payments 22
Financial Report 27
Statement of Appropriations 30
Summary Inventory of Valuation 32
Taxes Assessed and Tax Rate 32
Tax Collector's Report 33
Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales Purchased 36
Selectmen's Report 38
Financial Report of Library Trustees 39
Road Agent's Report 39
Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Council 40
Librarian's Report 41
Grafton County Senior Citizens Council, Inc. 42
Report of Town Forest Fire Warden and State Forest Ranger 44
Statement of Revenue Sharing Funds 44
Advance Transit Report 45
Police Department Report 46
Report of the Meeting House Committee 47
Report of the Town Clerk 48
Canaan Historic District Commission 48
Old Home Days Report 49
Mascoma Home Health Services, Inc. 50
Report of the Canaan Conservation Commission 51
Report of the Treasurer 51
Headrest 52
Planning Board Report 53
Schedule of Town Property 53
Grafton County Commissioners' Report 54
Report of Canaan F.A.S.T. Inc. 55
Upper Valley Household Hazardous Waste Committee 56
Common Trust Funds of the Trustees of Trust Funds 57
Town of Canaan Trusts Common Funds 60
Capital Reserve Funds 61
Town of Canaan Equipment 62
Report of Canaan Historical Museum 66
Auditor's Report 66
Marriages 67
Births 69
Deaths 70
Report of Town Meeting 1987 71

TOWN OFFICERS

Canaan, N.H.	Term Expires
Selectmen	
Mary D. Hathorn, Chm.	1988
Daniel B. Ware	1989
Edward Labrie	1990
Town Clerk	
Emily J. Heuss	1988
Tax Collector	
Emily J. Heuss	1988
Town Treasurer	
Edward Lary	1988
Overseer of Public Welfare	
Charles S. Adams	1988
Moderator	
Milton A. Wilson	1988
Representatives to the General Court	
C. Dana Christy	
David Scanlan	
John Hammond	
Cemetery Agent	
George Marcoulier	1988
Trustees of Trust Funds	
Jacqueline Lary, Treas.	1989
Judith Ireton	1990
Cynthia Neily	1988
Library Trustees	
Louise Kremzner, Chm.	1988
Martha G. Pusey, Treas.	1989
Zepheryn G. Clarke	1990
Nancy Loomis	1990
Deborah Neily	1988
Mae North	1990
Planning Board	
Donald Blunt, Chm.	1988
Benjamin Yamashita, Sec.	1989
Roger L. Remacle, Sr.	1988
David Scanlan	1988
Wylie Mitchell	1990
James R. Miller, II	1990
James Laffan, Alternate	
Giovanna Roll, Alternate	
Daniel B. Ware, Selectman	
Road Agent	
Robert Sullivan	1988
Supervisors of the Checklist	
Martha Pusey	1988
Stacia Ballou	1992
Carole Cushman	1990

School Board Members	
Patricia Brown	1988
C. Russell Lester	1989
Budget Committee	
George B. Shadowens, Chairman	1988
Scott Johnston	1989
John Deery	1988
Henry P. Gagnon	1989
Kathryn Carlson	1990
Joseph Butterfield	1990
Leslie Mansur	1988
Glen Taylor	1989
Ruth Greenwood	1990
Edward Labrie, Selectman	
Old Meeting House Committee	Apt. Expires
Wylie Mitchell, Chairman	1989
Pamela Webster	1989
Charles C. Bent, II	1989
Benjamin Yamashita	1989
James Miller	1989
Daniel B. Ware, Selectman	
Historic District Commission	
Wylie Mitchell, Chairman	1988
Margaret Taussig	1988
Daniel Fleetham	1989
James Miller, Alternate	
Beverly Wakely, Alternate	
Daniel B. Ware, Selectman	
Economic Development Committee	Appt. Dates
Wylie Mitchell	1982
Charles C. Bent, II	1982
Thomas McDermott	1982
Safety Committee	
Jonathan E. Putnam	1981
Harry Ware	1985
Allen Lary	1985
All Selectmen	
Historic Museum Committee	
Margo Pinkerton, Chairman	1982
Daniel Fleetham, Vice Chairman	1985
Sonja Carter, Secretary	1982
John Ricard	1981
C. Russell Lester	
Reginald E. Barney	1982
Harold Wyman	1986
Mary Wyman	1986
Civil Defense	
Daniel B. Ware	1987

Conservation Commission
- Kate Brooks Laffan
- Paul Agnew
- David Scanlan
- Raymond Fetto
- David Rancore
- David cuchanan
- Edward Labrie, Selectman

Recreation Commission
- James Gebhardt
- Glen Taylor
- Peter Bradley
- Edith Davis
- Mary D. Hathorn, Selectman

Regular Police Officers
- Johathan E. Putnam, Chief
- Kevin Copp, Patrolman

Special Police Officers
- Earle Smith
- Ronald Hill
- George Shadowens
- Glen Taylor
- Paul Stoner

Health Officer
- Board of Selectmen

Fire Chief
- Gilbert Downing

Forest Fire Warden and Deputies
- Edward Hammond, Warden
- Dale Barney
- Scott Johnston
- Gilbert Downing
- Brent Stevens
- Thomas McDermott
- Roland Wolfson
- Roger Remacle, Jr.
- Verne Hines
- Leslie Mansur

Building Inspector
- Roger L. Remacle, Sr.

Upper Valley Solid Waste Districe
- Thomas Ireton

Board of Appeals
- Albert Morris, Chairman
- John Towne
- Donald Blunt

Old Home Day Committee
- Georgia Tilton, Co-Chm.
- John Ricard, Co-Chm.
- Janice Milne
- Patricia Rancore
- Nelson Therriault
- Mary Decato
- Maxine Therriault
- Bruce Shinn
- Howard Beloin
- Laura Sturtevant

Betty Fleetham
Donna Dunkerton
Harry Armstrong
Carol Rostron

Stella Butterfield
Audrey Armstrong
All Selectmen

Weights of Weights and Measures
Edward Lary
Fred Bryson
John Ricard
Charles Neily
Emily Heuss

Long Range Planning Committee for School Dristrict
Richard Kramer
Margaret Mitchell

Handicapped Coordinating Committee
Wayne Barton
Gail Dunkerton
Patrick James

Boards of Appeal - Building Permits Denied
Edward Lary
Alexander Milne
Lee Hennessy

Advance Transit Board
Richard Pusey

TOWN WARRANT
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Grafton, s.s. Town of Canaan

To the inhabitants of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire who are qualified to vote in Town affairs.

You are hereby notified that the annual town meeting of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire will be held at the Canaan Elementary School on Tuesday, March 8, 1988 at 10:00 A.M. to act upon the following articles:

ARTICLE 1: To vote by non partisan ballot for the following town officers:

One Selectman to serve for a term of three years.
One Moderator to serve for a term of two years.
One Treasurer to serve for a term of one year.
One Town Clerk to serve for a term of three years.
One Tax Collector to serve for a term of three years.
One Road Agent to serve for a term of one year.
One Cemetery Agent to serve for a term of one year.
Two members of the Planning Board to serve for a term of three years each.
One member of the Planning Board to serve for a term of two years. Three members of the Budget Committee to serve for a term of three years each.
Two Library Trustees to serve for a term of three years each.
One Supervisor of the Checklist to serve for a term of six years. One Trustee of the Trust Funds and to serve for a term of three years.
One overseer of Public Welfare to serve for a term of one year.
And any other Town Officers that may be required by law.

ARTICLE 2: (By Petition) do you favor adoption of the Town Manager plan as provided in Chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes Annotated?

Polls will be opened for voting by ballot for the Election of Town Officers at the Canaan Elementary School on Tuesday, March 8, 1988 at 10:00 A.M. and will close at 6:30 P.M. unless the Town votes to keep the polls open to a later hour.

At the close of the polls, the meeting will be adjourned until 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, March 12, 1988 at the Canaan Elementary School at which time the following business will be transacted. To vote on Articles Three through Twenty.

ARTICLE 3: To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or any other Officers and to pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of $3,700,000 for the purpose of constructing sewerage and sewage treatment facilities which are requirements contained in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.) and will qualify the town for Federal Funds, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes not to

exceed $1,400,000 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (NH R.S.A. 33.1 et seq., as amended) and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Canaan, and to allow the Selectmen to expend such monies as become available from the Federal Government under the Financial Assistance program of the Construction Grants section of the Federal Government under the Financial Assistance program of the Construction Grants Section of the Federal Water Pollution Control act., as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.) and pass any vote relating thereto. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town of Canaan will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000 for the purchase of a Computer System for the Selectmen's Office for the purpose of upgrading all Tax Information, Appraisals, Water and Sewerage bills. This includes $4,000 for the hardware, and $2,000 for the software. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

ARTICLE 6: To see if the voters of the Town of Canaan will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,139 for the purpose of upgrading the Fire Department's breathing apparatus to meet NFPA 1500. The cost includes purchasing 3 new units to replace 3 which are not repairable, and upgrading 5 units. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

ARTICLE 7: To see if the voters of the Town of Canaan will vote to raise and appropriate $85,530 for a Fire Truck and authorize withdrawal of the sum from Capital Reserve. Any surplus funds are to be returned to the Fund. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

ARTICLE 8: (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to accept a 1974 Chevrolet equipment van now owned by the Canaan Fire Fighters Association pursuant to the petition of ten (10) or more registered voters of the Town of Canaan. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

ARTICLE 9: To see if the voters of the Town of Canaan will vote to raise and appropriate $12,853 for a Police Cruiser, and authorize withdrawal of the sum from Capital Reserve. Any surplus funds are to be returned to the Fund. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

ARTICLE 10: (By Petition) To see if the Town of Canaan will vote to hire a second full-time patrol officer to bring the Canaan Police Department to a staff of 3 full-time positions. And to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,850 for the salary,

purchase of uniforms and equipment for this position. The officer will be hired effective July 1, 1988 and the balance of the salary will be taken from the part-time officer line item already in the police budget.

Officer's Salary for 6 months	$9,000.00
Weapon	400.00
Uniforms & Equipment	950.00
TOTAL	$10,350.00
Taken from part-time salary	8,500.00
Amount to raise & appropriate	$1,850.00

(Budget Committee - Recommends)

ARTICLE 11: "Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 80:58-86 for a real estate tax lien procedure? - These statutes provide that tax sales to private individuals for nonpayment of property taxes on real estate are replaced with a real estate tax lien procedure under which only a Municipality or County where the property is located or the State may acquire a tax lien against land and buildings for unpaid taxes."

ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen full discretion to dispose of tax deeded property to the best interest of the Town.

ARTICLE 13: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, accept, and expend, without further action by Town Meeting, Money from the State, Federal or other governmental units or a private source which may become available during the ensuing year, provided that such expenditure be made for purposes for which a Town may appropriate money that such expenditures not require expenditure of other Town funds. Further, that the Selectmen hold a public hearing prior to accepting and spending the money. R.S.A. 31:95-b.

ARTICLE 14: To see if the Town of Canaan will authorize the Selectmen to accept private donations of land, interest in land, or money to be deposited into the conservation fund for the purposes of contributing to the local matching portion required for acquiring conservation land or interest in land and other costs associated therewith for permanent conservation use under the NH Land Conservation Investment Program (LCIP) RSA 221-A, and authorize the Selectmen to apply for and accept the Sate matching funds under the LCIP for the purposes of acquisition of the fee or lesser interest in conservation land. Said appropriated or donated funds and State matching funds may be expended by majority vote of the Conservation Commission.

ARTICLE 15: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,120,289 to defray town charges during the ensuing year as submitted by the Budget Committee and that this represents the

total amount voted including money raised in preceding special articles.

ARTICLE 16: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money in anticipation of taxes as may be needed to meet the necessary running expenses of the Town.

ARTICLE 17: To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept gifts in the name of the Town of Canaan.

ARTICLE 18: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase or otherwise, and/or take by eminent domain such parcels of land, easements, and/or rights-of-way as may be necessary in connection with the development of Municipal Sewerage Facilities in the Town of Canaan, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to retain such professional services for legal and technical purposes as may be required to facilitate said acquisitions and/or takings.

ARTICLE 19: The following regulations shall apply to all lands designated as special flood hazard areas by the Federal Emergency Management Agency in its "Flood Insurance Study for the Town of Canaan N.H." together with the associated Flood Insurance Rate Maps and Flood Boundary and Floodway maps of the Town of Canaan dated March 12, 1988 which are declared to be a part of this Ordinance.

Item I. Definition of Terms:

"Area of Shallow flooding" means a designated AO of AH zone on a community's Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) with a one percent or greater annual chance of flooding to an average depth of one to three feet where a clearly defined channel does not exist, where the path of flooding is unpredictable and where velocity flow may be evident. Such flooding is characterized by ponding or sheet flow.

"Area of Special Flood Hazard" is the land in the flood plain within a community subject to a one percent or greater chance of flooding in any given year. The area may be designated as Zone A on the GHBM. After detailed ratemaking has been completed in preparation for publication of the FIRM, Zone A usually is refined into Zones A, AO, AH, A1-30, AE, or A99.

"Base Flood" means the flood hiving a one percent chance of being equalled or exceeded in any given year.

"Basement" means any area of the building having its floor subgrade (below ground level) on all sides.

"Building"--see "Structure."

"Development" means any man-made change to improved or unimproved real estate, including but not limited to buildings or other structures, mining, dredging, filling, grading, paving, excavation or drilling operations.

"Flood Boundary and Floodway Map" (FLOODWAY) is an official map of the community, on which the Federal Emergency Management Agency has delineated the "Regulatory Floodway". This map should not be used to determine the correct flood hazard zone or base flood elevation, the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) will be used to make determinations of flood hazard zones and base flood elevations.

"Flood Elevation Study" means an examination evaluation and determination of flood hazards and, if appropriate, corresponding water surface elevations, or an examination, evaluation and determination of mudslide (i.e., mudflow) and/or flood-related erosion hazards.

"Flood Hazard Boundary Map" FHBM) means an official map of a community, issued by the Federal Emergency Management Agency, where the boundaries of the flood, mudslide (i.e., mudflow) related erosion areas having special hazards have been designated as Zone A.

"Flood Insurance Rate map" (FIRM) means an official map of a community, on which the Federal Emergency Management Agency has delineated both the special hazard areas and the risk premium zones applicable to the community.

"Flood Insurance Study" see "flood elevation study."

"Flood Plain" or "flood-prone area" means any land areas susceptible to being inundated by water from any source.

"Flood Proofing" means any combination of structural and non-structural additions, changes, or adjustments to structures which reduce or eliminate flood damage to real estate or improved real property, water and sanitary facilities, structures and their contents.

"Floodway"--see "Regulatory Floodway."

"Highest Adjacent Grade" means the highest natural elevation of the ground surface prior to construction next to the proposed walls of a structure.

"Lowest Floor" means the lowest floor of the lowest enclosed area (including basement). An unfinished or flood resistant enclosure, usable solely for parking of vehicles, building access or storage in an area other than a basement area

is not considered a building's lowest floor: Provided, that such enclosure in not built so as to render the structure in violation of the applicable non-elevation design requirements of the ordinance.

"Mean Sea Level" means, for purposes of the National Flood Insurance Program, the National Geodetic Vertical Datum (NGVD) of 1929 or other datum, to which base flood elevations shown on a community's flood Insurance Rate Map are referenced.

"Manufactured Home" means a structure, transportable in one or more sections, which is built on a permanent chassis and is designed for use with or without a permanent foundation when connected to re required utilities. For flood plain management purposes the term "manufactured home" also includes park trailers, travel trailers, and other similar vehicles placed on a site for greater than 180 consecutive days. For insurance purposes the term "manufactured home" does not include park trailers, travel trailers, and other similar vehicles.

"Manufactured Home Park or Subdivision" means a parcel (or contiguous parcels) of land divided into two or more manufactured home lots for rent of sale.

"100-Year Flood" see "Base Flood."

"Regulatory Floodway" means the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved in order to discharge the base flood without cumulatively increasing the water surface elevation more than one foot at any point. These areas are designated as floodways on the Flood Boundary and Floodway Maps.

"Riverine" means relating to, formed by, or resembling a river (including tributaries), stream, brook, etc.

"Special Flood Hazard Area" means an area having special flood, mudslide (i.e., mudflow) and/or flood-related erosion hazards, and shown on an FHBM or FIRM as Zone A, AO, A1-30, AE, A99, and AH. (See Area of Special Flood Hazard)

"Structure" means for floodplain management purposes, a walled and roofed building, including a gas or liquid storage tank, that is principally above ground, as well as a manufactured home.

"Start of Construction" includes substantial improvement, and means the date the building permit was issued, provided the actual start of construction, repair, reconstruction, placement, or other improvement was within 180 days of the permit date. The actual start means either the first placement of permanent construction of a

structure on a site, such as the pouring of slab or footings, the installation of piles, the construction of columns, or any work beyond the stage of excavation; or the placement of a manufactured home on a foundation. Permanent construction does not include land preparation, such as clearing, grading and filling; nor does it include the installation of streets and/or walkways; or does it include excavation for a basement, footings, piers, or foundations or the erection of temporary forms; nor does it include the installation on the property of accessory buildings, such as garages or sheds not occupied as dwelling units or not part of the main structure.

"Substantial Improvement" means any combination or repairs, reconstruction, alteration, or improvements to a structure in which the cumulative cost equals or exceeds fifty percent of the market value of the structure. The market value of the structure should be (1) the appraised value of the structure prior to the start of the initial repair or improvement, or (2) in the case of damage, the value of the structure prior to the damage occurring. For the purposes of this definition, "substantial improvement" is considered to occur when the first alteration of any wall, ceiling, floor, or other structural part of the building commences, whether or not that alteration affects the external dimensions of the structure. The term does not, however, include any project for improvement of a structure required to comply with existing health, sanitary, or safety code specifications which are solely necessary to assure safe living conditions or any alteration of a structure listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

"Water Surface Elevation" means the height, in relation to the National Geodetic Vertical Datum (NGVD) of 1929, (or other datum, where specified) of floods of various magnitudes and frequencies in the flood plains of coastal or riverine areas.

Item II.

All proposed development in any special flood hazard areas shall require a permit.

Item III.

The Building Inspector shall review all building permit applications for new construction or substantial improvements to determine whether proposed building sites will be reasonably safe from flooding. If a proposed building site is in a flood-prone area, all new construction and substantial improvements shall (i) be designed (or modified) and adequately anchored to prevent flotation, collapse, or lateral movement of the

structure resulting from hydrodynamic and hydrostatic loads, including the effect of buoyancy, (ii) be constructed with materials resistant to flood damage, (iii) be constructed by methods and practices that minimize flood damages, and (iv) be constructed with electrical, heating, ventilation, plumbing, and air conditioning equipment and other service facilities that are designed and/or located so as to prevent water from entering or accumulating within the components during conditions of flooding.

Item IV.

Where new and replacement water and sewer systems (including on-site systems) are proposed in floodprone areas the applicant shall provide the Building Inspector with assurance that new and replacement sanitary sewage systems will be designed to minimize or eliminate infiltration of flood waters into the systems and discharges from the systems into flood waters, and on-site waste disposal systems will be located to avoid impairment to them or contamination from them during periods of flooding.

Item V.

The Building Inspector shall maintain for public inspection, and furnish upon request, any certification of flood-proofing and the as built elevation (in relation to mean sea level) of the lowest floor (including basement) of all new or substantially improved structures, and include whether or not such structures contain a basement. If the structure has been floodproofed, the as built elevation (in relation to mean sea level) to which the structure was floodproofed. This information must be furnished by the applicant.

Item VI.

The Building Inspector shall review proposed developments to assure that all necessary permits have been received from those governmental agencies from which approval is required by Federal or State law, including Section 404 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, 33 U.S.C. 1334. It shall be the responsibility of the applicant to certify these assurances to the Building Inspector.

Item VII.

In riverine situations, prior to the alteration or relocation of a watercourse, the applicant for such authorization shall notify the Wetlands Board of the New Hampshire Environmental Services Department and submit copies of such notification to the Building Inspector. Further, the applicant shall be required to submit copies of said notification to those adjacent communities as determined by the Building Inspector.

Within the altered or relocated portion of any watercourse, the applicant shall submit to the Building Inspector, certification provided by a registered professional engineer assuring that the flood carrying capacity of the watercourse has been maintained.

Along watercourses that have a designated Regulatory Floodway no encroachments, including fill, new construction, substantial improvements, and other development are allowed within the designated Regulatory Floodway that would result in any increase in flood levels within the community during the base flood discharge. In Zone A the Building Inspector shall obtain, review, and reasonably utilize any floodway data available from a Federal, State, or other source as criteria for requiring that development meet the floodway requirements of this section.
Along watercourses that have not had a regulatory floodway designated, no new construction, substantial improvements or other development (including fill) shall be permitted within Zones A1-30 on the FIRM, unless it is demonstrated that the cumulative effect of the proposed development, when combined with all other existing and anticipated development, will not increase the water surface elevation of the base flood more than one foot at any point within the community.

Item VIII.

1. In special flood hazard areas the Building Inspector shall determine the 100 year flood elevation in the following order of precedence according to the data available:

   a. In Zones A1-30, and AH, refer to the elevation provided in the communities Flood Insurance Study and accompanying FIRM or FHBM.

   b. In unnumbered A zones the Building Inspector shall obtain, review, and reasonable utilize any 100 year flood elevation data available from Federal, State, development proposals submitted to the community (example subdivisions, site approvals, etc.) or other source.

   c. In Zone AO to 100 year flood elevation is determined by adding the elevation of the highest adjacent grade to the depth number specified on the FIRM or if no depth number is specified on the FIRM at least two feet.

2. The Building Inspector's 100 year flood elevation determination will be used as criteria for requiring in Zones A1-30, AE, AH, AO and A that:

   a. all new construction and substantial improvements of residential structures have

the lowest floor (including basement) elevated to or above the 100 year flood level;

b. that all new construction and substantial improvements of non-residentail structures have the lowest floor (including basement) elevated to a or above the 100 year flood level; or together with attendant utility and sanitary facilities, shall:

(i) be floodproofed so that below the 100 year flood elevation the structure is watertight with walls substantially impermeable to the passage of water;

(ii) have structural components capable of resisting hydrostatic and hydrodynamic loads and the effects of buoyancy; and

(iii) be certified by a registered professional engineer of architect that the design and methods of construction are in accordance with accepted standards of practice for meeting the provisions of this section;

c. all manufactured homes to be placed or substantially improved within special flood hazard areas shall be elevated on a permanent foundation such that the lowest floor of the manufactured home is at or above the base flood level; and be securely anchored to resist flotation, collapse, or lateral movement. Methods of anchoring may include, but are not limited to, use of over-the-top or frame ties to ground anchors. This requirement is in addition to applicable state and local anchoring requirements for resisting wind forces;

d. for all new construction and substantial improvements, fully enclosed areas below the lowest floor that are subject to flooding are permitted providing the enclosed areas meet the following requirements: (1) the enclosed area is unfinished or flood resistant, usable solely for parking of vehicles, building access or storage; (2) the area is not a basement; (3) shall be designed to automatically equalize hydrostatic flood forces on exterior walls by allowing for the entry and exit of floodwaters. Designs for meeting this requirement must either be certified by a registered professional engineer or architect or must meet or exceed the following minimum criteria: A minimum of two openings having a total net area of not less than one square inch for every square foot of enclosed area subject to flooding shall

be provided. the bottom of all openings shall be no higher than one foot above grade. Openings may be equipped with screens, louvers, or other coverings or devices provided that they permit the automatic entry and exit of floodwaters;

e. proposed structures to be located on slopes in Special Flood Hazard Areas, Zones AH and Ad, shall include adequate drainage paths to guide flood waters around and away from the proposed structures.

ARTICLE 20: to transact any other business that may be legally brought before this Town Meeting.

A true copy, attest

_____
Mary D. Hathorn, Chairman

_____
Daniel B. Ware

_____
Edward Labrie

NOTICE OF PROCESSING ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Absentee ballots will be processed commencing at 3:00 P.M. on March 8, 1988 at the Canaan Elementary School Gymnasium.

Moderator Wilton Wilson,

CEMETERY REPORT

CEMETERY AGENT REPORT - 1987

I'm sure all of you are aware of the cemeteries you pass in your normal travel, or where your family members are buried, but did you know, Canaan has ten cemeteries, some in remote locations, and it is the town's responsibility to provide equal care to all of them. We appreciate the West Canaan 4-H Club members who maintain the Schofield Cemetery as a group project. Besides the normal mowing, your agent cleared the lower bank on Wells Cemetery removing many years accumulation of pine needles. There are other projects to be done, but town budget restraints restrict them.

The growth in our area was reflected by a 50% increase in the number of burials over the last year. At this time, there is a concern about the number of lots available. The Trustees are currently petitioning the Superior Court to free up the unexpended income in the Trust funds. If this petition is granted by the Court, it is their desire to purchase additional land. This money could also be used for general improvement projects.

The expenditures on the cemeteries are reflected in the detailed statement of payments. Most of the expense is reimbursed by the investments from the Trust funds.

Respectfully submitted,

George Marcoulier, Agent
Jacqueline Lary, Trustee
Cynthia Neily, Trustee
Judith Ireton, Trustee

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CANAAN

PURPOSES OF APPOPRIATION	Actual Apporop. 1987	Actual Expenditures 1987	Selectmen's Budget 1988	Budget committee Recommended 1988	not Recommended
GENERAL GOVERMENT					
Town Officers' Salary	70,650.00	56,587.00	90,070.00	78,750.00	11,320.00
Town Officers' Expenses	23,450.00	21,144.00	23,470.00	23,470.00	
Election and Registration Expenses	900.00	674.00	2,971.00	2,971.00	
Cemeteries	11,875.00	12,229.00	11,875.00	11,875.00	
General Government Buildings	22,700.00	20,913.00	28,400.00	30,900.00	
Reappraisal of Property	10,000.00	9,453.00	10,500.00	10,500.00	
Planning and Zoning	2,940.00	1,079.00	4,440.00	4,440.00	
Legal Expenses	6,150.00	3,711.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	
Advertising and Regional Association	9,131.00	8,946.00	10,180.00	10,180.00	
Contingency Fund	1,000.00	480.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	
PUBLIC SAFETY					
Police Department	75,235.00	72,091.00	74,300.00	80,900.00	
Fire Department	20,150.00	21,258.00	22,500.00	20,750.00	1,750.00
Civil Defense	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Building Inspection	1,650.00	1,501.00	1,700.00	1,700.00	
Fire Wardens	300.00	50.00	300.00	300.00	
Budget Committee	80.00	0	80.00	80.00	
Dispatch Service	18,043.00	7,892.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	
HIGHWAYS, STREETS & BRIDGES					
Town Maintenance	85,780.00	83,707.00	96,966.00	96,966.00	
General Highway DepartmentExpenses	51,543.00	53,060.00	60,093.00	61,593.00	
Street Lighting	10,000.00	8,458.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	
Tarvia	15,430.00	0	30,000.00	30,000.00	
Highway Block Grant	84,194.00	61,599.00	91,725.00	91,725.00	
Highway Dept. Outside Act.					
Sidewalks	3,000.00	2,933.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Mowing and Brush	3,000.00	1,990.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	
SANITATION					
Solid Waste Disposal					
Garbage Removal	56,396.00	59,165.00	101,075.00	101,075.00	
HEALTH					
Ambulances	16,500.00	16,500.00	16,500.00	16,500.00	
Animal Control	400.00	406.00	400.00	400.00	

Damage by Dogs	300.00	0	300.00	300.00	
Mascoma Home Health Council	6,530.00		6,727.00	6,727.00	
Health Officer	300.00	0	300.00	300.00	
WELFARE					
General Assistance	10,500.00	7,090.00	10,500.00	10,500.00	
CULTURE AND RECREATION					
Library	15,959.00	15,952.00	18,365.00	21,382.00	
Parks and Recreation	3,000.00	1,803.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Patriotic Purposes	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Conservation Commission	700.00	554.00	700.00	700.00	
Recreation Commission	6,340.00	4,824.00	7,190.00	7,190.00	
Williams Field	1,300.00	1,255.00	2,150.00	2,150.00	
DEBT SERVICE					
Interest Expense-Tax Anticipation	70,000.00	35,082.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	
FmHA Water Loan	31,500.00	0			
CAPITAL OUTLAY	400,836.00	63,136.00			
Old Meeting House Repairs			12,000.00		
Portable radio for Police Dept.			1,000.00		
Historic Museum Rep. & Renov.			750.00		
Dump Closure			35,000.00		
Police Cruiser			13,900.00		
Loader/backhoe for highway Dept.			34,000.00		
Four drawer legal file for Police Dept.			280.00		
Conference table & chairs for Police Dept.			250.00		
Two desks for Police Dept.			300.00		
IBM typewriter & desk Selectmen Off.			1,500.00		
Two Berretta guns for Police Dept.			400.00		
New Truck for Highway Dept.			35,000.00		
OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT					
Payments to Capital Reserve Funds	55,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	
MISCELLANEOUS					
Municipal Water Dept.	17,050.00	17,502.00	22,050.00	22,050.00	
FICA, Retirement	23,032.00	17,755.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	
Insurance	69,492.00	59,000.00	76,335.00	76,335.00	
Unemployment Compensation	1,000.00	850.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Historic Distric Comm	600.00	0			
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	1,320,136	812,387	1,118,042	1,120,289	13,070

REVENUES

SOURCES OF REVENUE	ESTIMATED REVENUES 1987	ACTUAL REVENUES 1987	SELECTMEN'S BUDGET 1988	ESTIMATED REVENUES 1988
TAXES				
Resident Taxes	1500.00	16540.00	16000.00	16000.00
Yield Taxes	10000.00	11878.00	11000.00	11000.00
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	25000.00	30477.00	28000.00	28000.00
Land Use Change Tax		14015.00	10000.00	10000.00
INTERGOVENMENTAL REVENUES STATE				
Shared Revenue-Block Grant	107000.00	124876.00	120000.00	120000.00
Highway Block Grant	84193.00	84194.00	91700.00	91700.00
Railroad Tax	500.00	.00	.00	.00
Reimb. a c State-Federal Forest Land	350.00	333.00	300.00	300.00
Reimb. Fighting Forest Fires	.00	208.00	.00	.00
INTERGOVENMENTAL REVENUES-FEDERAL				
Grant Water Improvement Project		54513.00	.00	.00
Grant-Grange Senior Center		5993.00	.00	.00
Reimb. Flood Emergency		10460.00	.00	.00
LICENSES AND PERMITS				
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	138000.00	164521.00	170000.00	170000.00
Dog Licenses	1550.00	1996.00	2000.00	2000.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Fees	1000.00	1080.00	1000.00	1000.00
CHARGES FOR SERVICES				
Income From Departments	22000.00	33328.00	30000.00	30000.00
Dorchester/Orange Fire Protection	1500.00	1000.00	2000.00	2000.00
Income from Lebanon District Court	.00	2825.00	3000.00	3000.00

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
Intrest on Depostis	35000.00	32355.00	30000.00	30000.00
Sale of Town Property & Cemetery lots	1500.00	1856.00	1500.00	1500.00
Old Meeting House Fund Donations	5000.00	8594.00	12000.00	12000.00
Reimb. -General Assistance	300.00	574.00	300.00	300.00
Refunds, Dividends, Insurance Claims	.00	14285.00	.00	.00
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES				
Income from Water	19500.00	18495.00	18000.00	18000.00
Revenue Sharing Fund	24172.00	25051.00	.00	.00
Waste Water Design	300000.00	.00	.00	.00
Historic Museum Withdrawals	4297.00	1297.00	1500.00	1500.00
Old Meeting House Withdrawals	11500.00	5026.00	12000.00	12000.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	793862.00	665770.00	560300.00	560300.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1987

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	Approp.	Receipts & Reimb.	Total Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdrafts
Town Officer's Salaries	70,650.00		70,650.00	56,587.10	14,062.90	
Town Officer's Expenses	23,450.00		23,450.00	21,143.73	2,306.27	
Election and Registration	900.00		900.00	674.22	225.78	
Cemeteries	11,875.00		11,875.00	12,228.93		353.93
General Government Buildings	22,700.00		22,700.00	20,912.97	1,787.03	
Reappraisals	10,000.00		10,000.00	9,453.30	546.70	
Planning Board	2,940.00		2,940.00	1,097.32	1,842.68	
Legal Council	6,150.00		6,150.00	3,711.44	2,438.56	
Regional Associations	9,131.00		9,131.00	8,946.00	185.00	
Contingency Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00	480.00	520.00	
Police Department	75,235.00	18.47	75,253.47	72,091.32	3,162.15	
Fire Department	26,150.00	208.14	26,358.14	21,234.31	5,123.83	
Fire Wardens	300.00		300.00	50.00	250.00	
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Budget Committee	80.00		80.00		80.00	
Building Inspection	1,650.00		1,650.00	1,501.14	148.86	
Dispatch Service	18,043.00		18,043.00	7,892.00	1 ,151.00	
Town Maintenance	85,780.00		85,780.00	83,706.60	2,073.40	
General Highway Expenses	51,543.00	965.88	52,508.88	53,060.44		551.56
Tarvia	15,430.00		15,430.00		15,430.00	
Sidewalks	3,000.00		3,000.00	2,933.41	66.59	
Mowing and Brush	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,990.00	1,010.00	
Highway Block Grant	84,194.00		84,194.00	61,598.71	22,595.29	
Street Lighting	10,000.00		10,000.00	8,458.33	1,541.67	
Garbage Removal	56,396.00		56,396.00	59,165.43		2,769.43
Health Expense	23,330.00		23,330.00	23,030.00	300.00	
Animal Control	400.00		400.00	406.00		6.00
Dog Damage	300.00		300.00		300.00	
General Assistance	10,500.00		10,500.00	7,090.06	3,409.94	
Library	15,959.00		15,959.00	15,961.90		2.90
Parks and Playgrounds	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,803.19	1,196.81	
Patriotic Purposes	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Conservation Commission	700.00		700.00	554.00	146.00	
Recreation Commission	6,340.00		6,340.00	4,824.04	1,515.96	

Williams Field	1,300.00		1,300.00	1,255.00	45.00	
Interest - Tax Anticipation Notes	70,000.00		70,000.00	35,082.16	34,917.84	
FmHA Water Loan	31,500.00		31,500.00		31,500.00	
Old Meeting House Repairs	16,000.00		16,000.00	6,900.00	9,100.00	
Fireproof File Cabinet	900.00		900.00	745.00	155.00	
Portable Radio Police Dept.	950.00		950.00	895.50	54.50	
Historic Museum Repairs	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,402.12	1,597.88	
Portable Radio Highway Dept.	501.00		502.00	501.50	.50	
Steam Cleaner Highway Dept.	3,155.00		3,155.00	2,120.63	1,034.37	
Fire Station Renov. to Police	15,000.00		15,000.00	2,846.39	12,153.61	
Snowblower	3,468.00		3,468.00		3,468.00	
Land Acquisition & Easement	10,000.00		10,000.00	10,028.60		28.60
Fire Station Completion	7,500.00		7,500.00	7,518.18		18.18
Sewer Design	300,000.00		300,000.00	15,038.15	284,961.85	
Chipper Highway Dept.	11,500.00		11,500.00	11,580.00		80.00
Bunker Pants Fire Dept.	3,861.00		3,861.00	3,559.50	301.50	
Land Acquisition	25,000.00		25,000.00		25,000.00	
Payments to Capital Reserve	55,000.00		55,000.00	55,000.00		
Water Department	17,050.00		17,050.00	17,501.63		451.63
FICA & Retirement	24,032.00	22.24	24,054.24	18,605.43	5,448.81	
Insurance	69,492.00	13,336.40	82,828.40	59,000.40	23,828.00	
Historic District Commission	600.00		600.00		600.00	
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	1,320,136.00	14,551.13	1,334,687.13	812,366.08	526,583.28	4,262.23

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Mary D. Hathorn, Chm.	$ 1,500.00	
Daniel B. Ware, Selectman	1,500.00	
Edward Labrie, Selectman	1,500.00	
Emily J. Heuss, Town Clerk	12,000.00	
Edward Lary, Treasurer	3,000.00	
Emily J. Heuss, Tax Collector	4,200.00	
Charles S. Adams, Welfare Director	1,600.00	
Jacqueline Lary, Treas. of Trustees	500.00	
Mark Halloran, Consultant	140.00	
Marion Gould, Administrative Ass't.	3,617.82	
Marion Gould, Secretary	15,638.53	
Priscilla Baravalle, Secretary	340.00	
Marlene Coffin, Secretary	3,865.25	
Ellen Rocke, Secretary	3,299.00	
Janet Shortman, Secretary	1,307.25	
Joan Benham, Deputy Town Clerk (resigned)	65.25	
Alice Bliven, Deputy Town Clk./Tax Coll.	2,514.00	
		$56,587.10

Town Officers' Expenses

Postage	$ 1,712.10	
Selectmen's supplies	1,666.60	
Telephone	1,849.71	
Office equipment	874.20	
Blotter books and tax bills	2,212.72	
Selectmen's expenses	94.22	
Professional associations	587.99	
Advertising	446.04	
Administrative assistant's expenses	169.80	
Town reports	1,775.00	
Treasurer's mileage	106.00	
Tax Collector's expenses	445.75	
Accounting	6,319.12	
Town Clerk's expenses	304.30	
Town Clk/Tax Coll. materials & supplies	1,430.99	
Recording files	1,149.22	
		$21,143.73

Election and Registration Expenses

Supervisors and ballot clerks salaries	$ 225.00	
Postage and telephone	3.38	
Moderator's salary	100.00	
Meals	110.00	
Checklists	50.34	
Meetings to correct checklists	49.00	
Display ads	16.50	
Custodial labor	120.00	
		$ 674.22

Cemeteries

Salaries:		
George Marcoulier	$ 7,238.00	
Michael Boisseau	1,518.00	

Mary Bunten	$ 248.00	
Michael Conkey	150.00	
Mark Houston	444.00	
	$ 9,598.00	
Equipment	1,310.00	
Supplies and gasoline	820.93	
Trustees legal fees	500.00	
		$12,228.93

General Government Buildings Expenses

Oil and gas	$ 7,151.86	
Electricity	3,136.01	
Custodian	1,690.00	
Supplies	617.77	
Repairs and contracted services	8,172.33	
Water	145.00	
		$20,912.97

Reappraisal of Property

Reappraisals	$ 8,540.00	
Tax maps	913.30	
		$ 9,453.30

Planning

Secretarial services	$ 344.50	
Printing and copying	207.35	
Postage	350.00	
Advertising	195.47	
		$ 1,097.32
Less income from subdivision fees		937.98
		$ 159.34

Police Department

Jonathan E. Putnam, Chief	$21,935.00	
Kevin Copp, Patrolman	18,000.00	
Special police officers salaries	15,198.73	
Telephone	3,099.04	
Maintenance & repair, cruiser #1	885.35	
Maintenance & repair, cruiser #2	647.46	
Supplies	1,764.38	
Equipment	148,38	
Gasoline	3,050.96	
Uniforms	1,663.89	
Training	1,061.00	
Radio and radar repair	432.13	
Outside overtime	4,155.00	
Personal vehicle use	50.00	
		$72,091.32
Less: Reimb. outside overtime		3,825.00
		$68,266.32

Fire Department

Gilbert Downing, Chief	$ 800.00	
Salaries - firemen	6,260.49	
Telephone	637.50	
Communications and radios	1,959.75	
Maintenance and repair of trucks	1,190.77	
Supplies and equipment	5,657.74	
Gasoline	237.74	
Association dues	50.00	
Hydrant rental	101.48	
Training	1,299.05	
Hose	1,000.00	
Fire station, fuel	1,499.09	
Fire station, electricity	553.12	
Fire stationm site improvement	11.18	
		$21,257.91

Fire Wardens

Salary - fire warden		$ 50.00

Highways and Bridges

Summer labor	$35,890.00	
Summer equipment	798.20	
Summer sand and gravel	3,500.00	
		$40,188.20
Winter labor	$35,890.00	
Winter equipment	1,841.13	
Winter sand and gravel	5,787.27	
		$43,518.40

General Highway Department Expenses

Supplies	$10,559.26	
Diesel fuel	7,104.56	
Gasoline	4,016.37	
Salt	7,500.00	
Cold patch	2,775.47	
Culverts	3,957.40	
International 1800 (Truck #5)	2,590.90	
International 1910A (Truck #3)	1,765.43	
International 4 x 4 (Truck #2)	1,138.27	
Ford pickup (Truck #7)	154.31	
Loader/backhoe	2,711.95	
Grader	2,033.51	
Contracted services	338.69	
Uniforms	2,701.78	
Telephone	712.70	
New International dump truck (Truck #6)	753.25	
New GMC one ton dump truck (Truck #1)	746.59	
Bridge plank	1,500.00	
		$53,060.44

Mowing and Brush

Equipment		$ 1,990.00

Highway Department Salaries

Robert Sullivan, Road Agent	$17,232.49	
Allen Lary, Road Agent (resigned)	15,580.00	
Theodore F. Aiken	2,569,50	
Stanley J. Bostwick, Jr.	3,157.50	
Alan Canada	8,666.36	
Don C. Dunkerton	2,685.88	
Paul E. Lizotte	17,298.03	
Duane W. Mansur	18,713.99	
Dale D. Morse	6,914.38	
Walter C. Roberts	2,681.13	
David R. Shute	4,489.50	
		$99,988.66

Highway Block Grant

Summer labor	$17,944.97	
Summer equipment	6,047.50	
Summer sand and gravel	7,588.85	
Winter labor	10,463.29	
Salt	2,569.41	
Cold patch and top	3,625.47	
Culverts	2,067.03	
Materials	742.19	
Contracted services	10,550.00	
		$61,598.71

Garbage Removal

Robert MacNeil, Contractor	$24,225.00	
Land rent	2,500.00	
Lebanon landfill	25,347.18	
Supplies	295.82	
Dozer	1,484.70	
Crusher - recycling service	5,312.73	
		$59,165.43

Health

Canaan F.A.S.T. Squad	$16,500.00	
Mascoma Home Health Council, Inc.	6,530.00	
		$23,030.00

Animal Control

Mileage	$ 270.00	
Care and disposal of animals	38.00	
Salaries	98.00	
		$ 406.00

Library

Salaries:		
Jean Baarson	$ 1,410.00	
Louise Cady	4,992.90	

Joanne Moulton	$ 1,060.00	
Nancy Pike	940.00	
	8,402.90	
Payment to Treasurer Library Trustees	7,559.00	
		$15,961.90

Parks and Playgrounds

Salaries	$ 1,672.00	
Supplies and gasoline	131.19	
		$ 1,803.19

Recreation Commission

Salaries:		
John Canedy	$ 2,704.00	
Suzanne Charbono	1,095.25	
Jennifer Snyder	260.00	
Beach supplies	73.82	
Telephone	182.97	
Picnic tables	220.00	
Building maintenance	288.00	
		$ 4,824.04

Williams Field

Maintenance	$ 515.00	
Supplies and equipment	240.00	
Old Home Day	500.00	
		$ 1,255.00

Water Department

Maintenance salaries	$ 3,000.00	
Secretarial work	87.74	
Contract labor	5,703.51	
Electricity	165.60	
Loan payment	4,184.00	
Office supplies	195.34	
Operational supplies	3,563.38	
Water testing	235.22	
Chemicals	337.50	
Chlorinator	29.34	
		$17,501.63

Insurance

Bonds	$ 1,228.00	
Police and public liability	2,768.00	
Boiler	150.00	
Blue Cross-Blue Shield	15,192.02	
Workmen's compensation	19,912.00	
NHM Liability Pool	18,019.00	
Insurance deductible	1,731.38	
		$59,000.40

FINANCIAL REPORT

For The Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1987

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from offical records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

RECEIPTS

TAXES - ALL FUNDS:		
Property taxes - current year	$1,404,102	
Resident taxes - current year	15,310	
Yield taxes - current year	9,711	
Property & yield taxes - previous	326,822	
Resident taxes - previous years	1,230	
Land use change tax	14,730	
Interest & penalties on taxes	8,942	
Tax sales redeemed	125,836	
Motor vehicle permit fees	164,521	
		$2,071,204
LICENSES AND PERMITS:		
Dog licenses	$ 1,996	
Business licenses, permits & fees	416	
All other licenses, permits & fees	6,242	
		$ 8,654
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES - FEDERAL:		
Revenue sharing grants & interest	$ 24,172	
All other federal grants CDBG	57,852	
		$ 82,024
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES - STATE:		
Shared revenue	$ 124,876	
Highway block grant	84,194	
Federal forest land	333	
		$ 209,403
CHARGES FOR SERVICES:		
Water supply system charges	$ 18,495	
Sale of cemetery lots	1,200	
Other sales and service charges	17,088	
		$ 36,783
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES:		
Sale of town property	$ 656	
Interest on investments	32,549	
Other miscellaneous revenues	42,742	
		$ 75,947
NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS:		
Tax anticipation notes	$1,300,000	
Sugarbush escrow account	4,114	
		$1,304,114
TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES		$3,788,129
Cash on Hand Januray 1, 1987		494,725
GRAND TOTAL		$4,282,854

PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:	
Town officer salaries	$ 56,587
Town officer expenses	21,144
Election and registration	674
Cemeteries	12,229
General government buildings	20,913

Reappraisal of property	9,453
Planning	1,097
Legal expenses	3,711
Regional associations	8,946
Capital outlay items	39,839
Contingency fund	480
PUBLIC SAFETY:	
Police department	$ 79,983
Portable radio	896
Fire station renovation to police station	2,846
Fire department	21,284
Fire station completion	7,518
Civil defense	100
Building inspection	1,501
HIGHWAYS, STREETS, BRIDGES:	
Town maintenance	$ 88,630
General highway department	114,660
Purchase of equipment	52,343
Street lighting	8,458
SANITATION:	
Solid waste disposal	$ 59,165
HEALTH:	
Canaan F.A.S.T. Squad	$ 16,500
Mascoma Home Health Council, Inc.	6,530
Animal control	406
WELFARE:	
General assistance	$ 7,090
CULTURE AND RECREATION:	
Library	$ 15,962
Parks and recreation	7,882
Historic Museum renovations	1,402
Patriotic purposes	100
Conservation Commission	554
DEBT SERVICE:	
Tax anticipation notes - interest	$ 35,082
OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT:	
Payments to capital reserve funds:	
Fire truck	$ 5,000
Police cruiser	6,000
Bridges	5,000
Equipment	4,000
Revaluation	35,000
Other operating transfers	5,135
UTILITIES:	
Municipal water utility	$ 17,502
Water improvement project	42,867
Wastewater project	27,059
MISCELLANEOUS:	
FICA, retirement, unemployment comp	18,605
Insurance	59,000
Miscellaneous	6,887

UNCLASSIFIED:		
Payments - tax anticipation notes	$1,300,000	
Taxes bought by town	118,658	
Refunds	9,633	
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTS:		
To State - dog & marriage licenses	278	
Taxes paid to Grafton County	99,659	
Taxes paid to school district	1,607,874	
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES		$4,073,122
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1987		209,732
GRAND TOTAL		$4,282,854
Bonds and long term notes authorized - unissued		
Municipal Sewerage System Project		$ 300,000
Canaan Village Water Improvements		400,000
Schedule of long term indebtedness		$ 31,815
Debt outstanding, issued and retired		
Water utility - outstanding Jan. 1, 1987	33,994	
retired	2,179	
Outstanding December 31, 1987		$ 31,815

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

All funds in custody of treasurer	$ 208,350	
Firemen's Memorial Fund	1,382	
TOTAL CASH		$ 209,732
ACCOUNTS DUE THE TOWN:		
Accounts due the town	$ 1,138	
Due from Capital Projects Fund	29,238	
		$ 30,376
UNREDEEMED TAXES :		
Levy of 1986	$ 64,095	
Levy of 1985	31,480	
Levy of 1984	2,657	
Previous years	1,634	
		$ 99,866
UNCOLLECTED TAXES:		
Levy of 1987	$ 827,091	
Levy of 1986	1,537	
Levy of 1985	3,638	
		$ 832,266
TOTAL ASSETS		$1,172,240

LIABILITIES

Accounts payable	$ 22,030	
Unexpended balances of special approp.	79,853	
Fire Department Memorial Fund	1,382	
Performance gaarantee (bond) deposit	4,176	
Reserve for estimated uncollect taxes	8,377	
School district tax payable	934,515	
Due to other funds	3,733	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$1,054,066
Fund balance - Current surplus		118,174
GRAND TOTAL		$1,172,240

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION

TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE TAX YEAR 1987

PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATIONS

GENERAL GOVERNAMENT:	
1. Town officers' salaries	70650.00
2. Town officers' expenses	23450.00
3. Election and Registration expenses	900.00
4. Cemeteries	11875.00
5. General Government Buildings	22700.00
6. Reappraisal of property	10000.00
7. Planning and Zoning	2940.00
8. Legal Expenses	6150.00
9. Advertising and Regional Association	9131.00
10. Contingency Fund	1000.00
PUBLIC SAFETY	
11. Police Department	75235.00
12. Fire Department	26150.00
13. Civil Defense	100.00
14. Building Inspection	1650.00
15. Fire Wardens	300.00
16. Budget Committee	80.00
17. Dispatch Service	18043.00
HIGHWAYS, STREET, BRIDGES	
18. Town Maintenance	85780.00
19. General Highway Department Expenses	51543.00
20. Street Lighting	10000.00
21. Tarvia	15430.00
22. Highway Block grant	84194.00
23. Sidewalks	3000.00
24. Mowing and Brush	3000.00
SANITATION	
25.Garbage Removal	56396.00
HEALTH	
26. Ambulances	16500.00
27. Animal Control	400.00
28. Damage by Dogs	300.00
29. Mascoma Home Health Council	6530.00
30. Health Officer	300.00
WELFARE	
31. General Assistance	10500.00

CULTURE AND RECREATION	
32. Library	15959.00
33. Parks and Recreation	3000.00
34. Patriotic Purposes	100.00
35. Conservation Commission	700.00
36. Recreation Commission	6340.00
37. Williams Field	1300.00
DEBT SERVICE	
38. Interest Expense - Tax Anticipation Notes	70000.00
39. FMHA Water Loan	31500.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY	
40. Old Meeting House	16000.00
41. Fireproof File Cabinet	900.00
42. Portable Radion (Police Deptpartment)	950.00
43. Hist. Museum Repairs & Renovations	3000.00
44. Portable Radio (Highway Department)	502.00
45. Steam Cleaner	3155.00
46. Fire Station Renovations	15000.00
47. Tractor Snowblower	3468.00
48. Land Acquisition and Easements	10000.00
49. Fire Station Completion	7500.00
50. Sewer Design	300000.00
51. Chipper for Highway Dept. (ART. 4)	11500.00
52. Bunker Pants for Fire Dept (ART. 5)	3861.00
53. Land Acquisition (ART. 8)	25000.00
OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT	
54. Payments To Capital Reserve Funds: New Fire Truck	5000.00
55. New Cruiser	6000.00
56. Bridges	5000.00
57. New Equipment	4000.00
58. Re-evaluation Fund (ART. 7)	35000.00
MISCELLANEOUS	
59. Municipal Water Department	17050.00
60. FICA, Retirement & Pension Contributions	23032.00
61. Insurance	69492.00
62. Unemplayment Compensation	1000.00
63. Historic District Commission	600.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	1320136.00

TAX YEAR 1987
SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

1.	VALUE OF LAND ONLY	
	A. Current Use	$ 514,319
	B. Residential	11,987,943
	C. Commercial/Industrial	368,800
	D. Total of Taxable Land	$12,871,062
2.	Value of Buildings Only	
	A. Residential	22,418,930
	B. Manufactured Housing	1,057,150
	C. Commercial/Industrial	1,365,571
	D. Total of Taxable Buildings	$24,841,651
3.	Public Water Utility (Privately owned water co. serving public) RSA 72:11	
4.	Public Utilities -- Electric--	740,582
5.	VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS	$38,453,295
6.	Elderly Exemption	565,700
7.	Solar/Windpower Exemption	600
8.	School Din./Dormitory/Kitchen Exemption	498,350
9.	Total Dollar Amount of Exemptions	1,064.650
	Net Valuation on which the Tax Rate is computed	$37,388,645

TAXES ASSESSED AND TAX RATE

Net Assessed Valuation	$37,388,645

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Town Property Taxes Assessed	$2,242,945
Less: War Service Credits	11,300
Net Property Tax Committment	$2,231,645

Tax Rate:	Municipal	9.08
	County	2.57
	School Dist.	48.34

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Fiscal Year Ended 31 December 1987

-debit-

Uncollected Taxes as of 1 January 1987	1987	1986	Prior
Property Taxes		$325,504.98	$1,328.57
Resident Taxes		1,647.00	100.00
Land Use Change Taxes		4,125.50	
Yield Taxes		3,255.23	3,246.65
Taxes Committed to Collector			
Property Taxes	$2,232,840.00		
Resident Taxes	16,240.00		
Land Use Change Taxes	11,135.00		
Yield Taxes	12,433.34		
Added Taxes			
Property Taxes	1,467.00		
Resident Taxes	1,730.00	60.00	
Overpayments			
Property Taxes	4,001.42	38.92	
Resident Taxes	30.00		
Interest Collected on Delinquent Taxes	13.04	8,537.26	117.79
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	101.00	118.00	5.00
	$2,279,990.80	$343,286.89	$4,798.01

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Fiscal Year Ended 31 December 1987

-credit-

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year	1987	1986	Prior
Property Taxes	$1,404,669.82	$324,051.50	$ 603.18
Resident Taxes	15,310.00	1,180.00	50.00
Yield Taxes	9,710.93	2,166.92	
Land Use Change Taxes	9,890.00	4,125.50	
Interest Collected During Year	13.04	8,537.26	117.79
Penalties on Resident Taxes	101.00	118.00	5.00
Abatements Made During Year			
Property Taxes	10,819.34	1,043.86	334.41
Resident Taxes	1,140.00	527.00	50.00
Land Use Change Taxes	1,245.00		
Uncollected Taxes - End of Fiscal Year			
Property Taxes	822,819.26	448.54	390.98
Resident Taxes	1,550.00		
Yield Taxes	2,722.41	1,088.31	3,246.65
	$2,279,990.80	$343,286.89	$4,798.01

SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNTS FOR THE TOWN OF CANAAN

Fiscal Year Ended 31 December 1987

-debits-

Year of levy	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Balance of unredeemed taxes, 1 January 1987		$50,887.28	$30,497.53	$2,778.36	$1,633.88
Taxes sold to Town during current year	$118,657.79				
Interest collected after sale	2,994.92	3,814.34	11,692.94		
Redemption costs collected	132.40	128.43	100.27		
Total debits	$121,785.11	$54,830.05	$42,290.74	$2,778.36	$1,633.88

-credits-

Remittances to Treasurer	$ 54,562.26	$19,407.41	$30,477.28		
Interest and costs	3,127.32	3,942.77	11,793.21		
Abatements			20.25	$ 121.79	
Unredeemed as of 31 December 1987	64,095.53	31,479.87	-	2,656.57	$1,633.88
Total credits	$121,785.11	$54.830.05	$42,290.74	$2,778.36	$1,633.88

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES PURCHASED BY TOWN OF CANAAN

	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Batten, Keith	$ 283.45	$ 147.45			
Begor, Rose		182.21			
Bell, Richard & Rowe, Patricia	617.60	551.52			
Bolles, John H.		52.86			
Bolles, John H.		170.35			
Braley, Bernice M.	427.60	342.56			
Braley, Herbert & Mary	796.32				
Buzzell, Lionel & Shirley	635.88				
Chapman, F. James & Patricia	345.58				
Clark, Lamont	372.18				
Clark, Lamont	64.06				
Continental American Industries	7,099.06	6,271.87			
Daigneault, Norman R.	478.74	415.28			
Davidson, Michael	2,232.67				
Dintale, Thomas J.	311.47				
F. C. Hammond & Son				$2,655.57	$1,633.88
Fellows, David G. & Mabel	1,480.54				
Fellows, David G. & Mabel	8.64				
Flagg, John D. Jr. & Flagg, John D. Sr.	412.24				
Hooker, Kenneth Jr.	211.20				
Jameson, Judith A.	467.36				
Johnson, Glendon	506.76				
Jones, Inez	601.77	537.42			
Kilton, Burns	232.11				
Kraatz, Michael D. & Susan R.	1,902.79				
LaBounty, Clayton E. & Barbara	1,245.68	1,110.30			
Lepene, Patricia A.	21.91				
Lewis, Barbara	50.77				
Linn, James M. & Robin J.	429.28				
Longley, Robert R. for Tanya Longley	989.71				
Marcoulier, George & Sue	1,998.80				

Mitchell, James H. & Wanda G.	887.28			
Monmaney, Harry & Sylvia	580.65			
Monmaney, Keith D. & Wendy J.	1,459.45			
Neily, Leroy A. & Deborah L.	int.			
New Canaan Academy	7,845.79	6,982.28		
Person Unknown		224.30		
Provencal, Edward F. & Bonnie	146.78			
Quimby, Joanne T.	1,589.91			
Quimby, Ronald & Joanne	1,295.82			
Rollins, Gertrude	124.11			
Rudder, Robert P.	1,232.50			
Schnetzer, Linda	2,067.27			
Smith, Don & Stella - heirs of	374.82			
Thomson, Harry & Simone	12,561.67	11,177.89		
Thomson, Harry & Simone		52.96		
Thomson, Harry & Simone		224.35		
Thomson, Harry & Simone	1,412.58	1,269.92		
Tibbets, Larry	260.11			
Tibbits, Paul	583.73			
Truman, Jesse J. & Debra A.	2,712.96			
Truman, Jesse J. & Debra A.	2,542.06			
Tucker, Lena		475.50		
Woodman, Arthur	1,037.20	924.82		
Zani, David	1,156.67			
Zani, David & Clausson, Helen		366.03		
TOTALS	$64,095.53	$31,479.87	$2,656.57	$1,633.88

SELECTMEN'S REPORT — 1987

The year 1987 was a progressive year for the Town of Canaan.

We have tried in vain to hire an Administrative Assistant, but still have managed to accomplish many things without that position being filled.

We are pleased to announce that we will have the use of our current Solid Waste Transfer site and Stump Dump for at least one more year. With the help of Bob McNeil, we have averted having to separate solid waste and we are looking for a long term solution to that problem.

The Senior Center has been completed and is in full operation. With the advent of the Waste Water Project, the use will be augmented to accommodate a wide range of uses.

The Water Project along with the Waste Water Project, is scheduled to start construction in September of 1988 and will be completed by June of 1989.

The new Fire Station has been completed and is in operation while the old Fire Station has been converted into the new Police Station.

We have tried to lay the ground in 1987 for long range plans that will serve the Town well in years to come, and continue to develop plans for road improvements that can be taken a step at a time to improve those roads that are in need of rehabilitation while preserving those roads that can be saved without major overhaul.

To date, we have had twelve applicants for the position of Administrative Assistant and have interviewed five. We have offered the position to three applicants without success. We will continue the search to find a suitable person to fill the position of Administrative Assistant.

We would like to thank Mary Hathorn for her many years of service to the community. She has provided us with knowledge that only experience can teach. We offer her best wishes for the future.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary D. Hathorn, Chairman
Daniel B. Ware
Edward Labrid

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

FINANCIAL REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES — 1987

RECEIPTS:	
Balance on Hand December 31, 1986	$ 1,392.60
Town Appropriation	7,559.00
Interest from Trust Funds	1,314.11
Fines Collected	320.36
Refunds	41.02
Gifts	2,055.00
Grants	107.29
Interest	285.47
Lost Books	15.85
Total Receipts	$13,090.70
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Books	$ 7,906.35
Supplies	550.68
Postage	75.72
Summer Program	131.06
Telephone	257.19
Magazines	448.37
Records	37.43
Professional Journals and Dues	514.44
New Equipment	377.15
Total Disbursements:	$10,298.39
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1987	$ 2,792.31

Respectfully submitted,

Martha G. Pusey
Treasurer

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT — 1987

This year saw the repairing of Back Bay Road, Graceville Road, Bruce Road and sections of Jones Hill and Blackwater Road.

We sustained severe damage to several roads due to Spring rain and floods. We lost Haines Brook culvert on South Road, and also large parts of Cider Mill Road, Potatoe Road, and South Road (asphalt).

Having taken over the Road Agent's job in late September, we lowered several culverts on Goose Pond Road, replaced many more on other roads, and finished repairs on Potatoe Road and South Road (Flood damage). We replanked Goose Pond bridge, Potatoe Road Bridge, Lary Road bridge.

Due to a very wet Fall, we had difficulty grading dirt roads and keeping them from potholing, due to increased traffic and speed on these roads. The hot top roads are seeing increasingly heavy loads and traffic and are not faring well.

We ask your patience and understanding this coming summer, as we try to keep up with this repair and renewal work.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Sullivan
Road Agent

UPPER VALLEY-LAKE SUNAPEE COUNCIL

The Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council is a public, non-profit voluntary association of towns and cities in the Upper Valley areas. Our thirty-one (31) communities are in two states and five counties.

The Council consists of a Board of Directors and a professional staff. Each town or city annually appropriates funds for the Council's operation and sends two or three representatives to participate on the Board of Directors. The Board elects officers, adopts, the annual work program and budget, and develops policies and positions on issues that are important to our communities.

The Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council is the official organization that brings towns and cities within our region together. By bonding together and pooling their resources, local governments have a highly trained, professional staff available to them for a wide variety of services. Areas of expertise include land use planning, master planning, economic and community development, water quality management, transportation, landscape architecture, housing, capital budgeting, historic preservation, downtown revitalization, solid waste planning, recreation and fiscal and environmental impact analysis. The Council also serves as a collective voice for these towns and cities in dealings with state and federal governments, thereby protecting and furthering the needs and interests of our communities.

Your support enables the Council to undertake comprehensive regional planning and to carry out various projects and programs of regional benefit. Over the past year, we the Council:

- Prepared an updated Regional Plan
- Updated our Economic Profile, the primary source of economic and demographic data for our region
- Maintained our regional data base, including our role as a regional data center for the US Census
- Coordinated the efforts of and provided administrative assistance to the Upper Valley Solid Waste Management District
- Sponsored and helped organize the Upper Valley Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program
- Initiated efforts and successfully applied for start-up funding for a computer assisted mapping program
- Continued the regional historic preservation program
- Sponsored informational meetings on Water Resources Management Plans mandated for inclusion in local master plans under NH Chapter 167
- Provided an Economic Development Agent for Sullivan County to help retain and expand employment opportunities in the area
- Testified on several bills before the legislature, on Vermont Act 250 proposals and on state highway plans, distributed summaries of new and amended legislation and sponsored the NH Municipal Law Lecture Series

- Coordinated local municipalities, state agencies and private consultants as part of the Upper Valley Transportation Study
- Provided technical assistance to Advance Transit and County Coach
- Participated in a proposal to conduct a long range planning study of Route 11-103 corridor in Sullivan County

- Helped numerous communities and Sullivan County seek state and federal grant funds by providing technical assistance, and prepared successful grant applications bringing more than $1.1 million to the region
- Sponsored an informational meeting on the Champlain Pipeline on behalf of our Sullivan County communities which will be effected
- Worked closely with the Upper Valley Community Land Trust, Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests, and Connecticut River Watershed Council to protect open space and conservation lands.

The Council also provides specific services to cities and towns in the region. As requested by communities, the Council conducted a large number of impact studies concerning proposed developments, prepared amendments to local subdivision, zoning, site plan review, and earth excavation regulations and provided mapping, drafting and other technical assistance.

Over the past year the Council has assisted the Canaan Planning Board in completing the Town Master Plan and provided ongoing assistance relating to the Village Water System Improvement Project, funded by CDBG and Farmers Home Administration grants and loans secured by UVLSC two years ago.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT — 1987

Volumes on hand, January 1, 1987	23,074
Volumes added	902
	23,976
Volumes discarded	1,512
Volumes on hand, January 1, 1988	22,464
Records on hand, January 1, 1987	374
Records added	5
	379
Records discarded	2
Records on hand, January 1, 1988	377

Active cards 535

Circulation:

Fiction	Non-Fiction	Juvenile	Magazines	Records	Total
6812	1665	8074	453	333	17,377

Books borrowed from State Library 32

Respectfully submitted,

Louise M. Cady
Librarian

GRAFTON COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS COUNCIL, INC.
October 1, 1986 — September 30, 1987

Number of Senior Canaan residents served 194 (of 303 over 60; 1980 Census)
Number of Canaan Volunteers 37; Number of Volunteer Hours 847

Services	Unit of Service	Units of Service	x	Unit Cost (1)	=	Total Cost of Service
Center Meals	Meal	2,608	x	$3.11	=	$ 8,632.48
Home Delivered Meals	Meal	12,926	x	$3.68	=	$47,567.68
Transportation (Senior Only)	Trips	432	x	$4.31	=	$ 1,861.92
Adult Day Service	Hours	40	x	$3.70	=	$ 148.00
Social Services	Half-Hour	49.5	x	$10.09	=	$ 499.46

	(2)
GCSCC cost to provide services for Canaan Residents	$58,709.54
Request for Senior Services for 1987	$ 2,080.00
Received from Town of Canaan for 1987	$ 2,080.00
Request for Senior Services for 1988	$ 2,205.00

In addition to the above services, the Grafton County Senior Citizens Council, Inc. mails out a monthly newsletter to approximately 195 Canaan addresses.

NOTES:

1. Unit Cost from Audit Report for October 1, 1986 - September 30, 1987.

2. For the entire agency, services were funded by: Federal and State programs, 50.3%; Municipalities, Grants & Contracts, County and United Way, 14.3%; Contributions, 12.3%; In-kind donations, 18.8%; Other, 4.3%.

COMPARATIVE INFORMATION
From Audited Financial Statement For
GCSCC Fistal Years 1986 & 1987
October 1 - September 30

UNITS OF SERVICE PROVIDED:	FY 1986	FY 1987
Dining Room Meals	60,193	55,519
Home Delivered Meals	103,908	106,076
Transportation (Trips)	40,565	39,528
Adult Day Service (Hours)	4,125	3,975
Social Service (½ Hour)	1,933	3,741
UNITS OF SERVICE COSTS:		
Dining Room Meals	$ 3.11	$ 3.31
Home Delivered Meals	3.47	3.68
Transportation (Trips)	3.67	4.31
Adult Day Service	3.75	3.70
Social Services	13.26	10.09

For all units based on Audit Report October 1986 - September 30, 1987

GRAFTON COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS COUNCIL, INC.

Grafton County Senior Citizens Council provides services to older residents of Canaan through Mascoma Area Senior Services, recently relocated to Indian River Grange Hall on Main Street. These services include home delivered meals, a senior dining room program, limited transportation, health and nutrition education, information and referral, as well as opportunities for older individuals to be of service to their communities through volunteering.

Any Canaan resident over the age of 60, or member of his/her family, is eligible to use the services of GCSCC. Handicapped individuals under the age of 60 may also be served through these programs. Although there are no charges for the services, the agency does request contributions toward the cost of services.

During 1987, over 4,600 older individuals were served through all of GCSCC's programs. Some 194 of these were Canaan residents. These individuals enjoyed 2,608 dinners at Mascoma Area Senior Center; received 12,926 hot meals delivered to their homes; and used transportation services on 432 occasions to travel to medical appointments, to grocery stores, to do personal errands or to the Senior Dining Room. Thirty-seven Canaan volunteers contributed 847 hours of time, energy and talent to support the operation of the agency's services. Services for Canaan residents were provided at a cost to the agency of $58,710, and were instrumental in supporting many of these individuals as they attempt to remain in their own homes and out of institutional care despite physical frailties.

We are particularly proud of the new Mascoma Area Senior Center, in the renovated Indian River Grange Hall. With a dining room and kitchen on the first floor and with offices and activity space on the second floor, this handicapped accessible building should become a resource for community members of all ages. The completion of this project is a tribute to the ability of many members of the Canaan community to work together toward a common goal which will benefit the entire community.

Working closely with other agencies providing services to older people in the community, our goals for the coming year include an enhanced community education effort to assist older Canaan residents and their families in taking advantage of available programs and services which will improve the quality of their lives.

Through the years, GCSCC has very much appreciated the support of the Canaan community for services which enhance the independence of older residents of Canaan.

Sincerely,

Carol W. Dustin, ACSW
Executive Director

REPORT OF TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND STATE FOREST RANGER

Between July 1986 and June 1987, we experienced fewer fires than normal. The three leading causes of forest fires were again children, fire kindled without written permission of a Forest Fire Warden and debris burning. All causes are preventable, but only with your help.

Please help our town and state forest fire officials with forest fire prevention. Contact your Forest Fire Warden for more information.

Enforcement of a state timber harvest regulation is the responsibility of State Forestry Officials. Our state has excellent timber harvest regulations; however, your assistance is needed.

If you know of a logging operation and suspect a state timber harvest tax law may be violated, call your Forest Fire Warden or Concord Forest Protection Headquarters at (603) 271-2217.

If you own forest land, you became responsible for the timber tax payment starting April 1, 1986. This is a change in the Timber Tax Law that will impact all forest landowners. Contact your Board of Selectmen for timber tax forms.

FOREST FIRE STATISTICS - 1987

Number Fires Statewide		403
Acres Burned Statewide		189
Cost of Suppression		$44,682
District	15 Fires	28¼ Acres
Town	1 Fire	½ Acres

Edward H. Hammond
Forest Fire Warden

John Q. Ricard
Forest Ranger

STATEMENT OF REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

Balance on hand March 1987	$24,171.71
Interest received	233.78
Funds received in 1987	646.00
For Police Department	$25,051.49
Funds expended in year 1987	$25,051.49
	Zero

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Lary, Treasurer

ADVANCE TRANSIT REPORT

Advance Transit is a non-profit corporation overseen by a Board of Directors composed of representatives from participating towns, institutions, human service agencies, and riders. Originally a component of the Upper Valley Senior Citizens Council, Advance Transit has been operated as a separate organization since 1984. Low cost transportation service is provided to the Upper Valley communities of Canaan, Enfield, Hanover, Lebanon and Lyme in New Hampshire, as well as Hartford and Norwich in Vermont.

Advance Transit was formed and operates with the assistance of funds from the federal Urban Mass Transportation Administration. Since it was formed, Advance Transit has received over half of its funding from U.M.T.A. (By comparison, municipal revenues cover approximately 7% of expenses.) Reductions in federal funding in 1985 and 1986 forced Advance Transit to implement a series of service reductions and fare increases, the last of which were implemented October, 1986. Despite the cuts, 20,000 passenger trips were provided in Hartford during 1987, only 1500 fewer than in 1986.

As a result of increased emphasis on financial planning, 1987 marks the first year that Advance Transit has not ended the year with a deficit. Significant progress was also made toward the reduction of accumulated deficits from prior years.

In July of 1987 a new Executive Director was hired with several years experience in the administration of public transit systems. Overall staff turnover has been greatly reduced.

In December of 1987 three new buses were delivered with nine more expected to arrive in early 1988. The new vehicles will offer increased passenger comfort and operating efficiency.

To summarize 1987, many positive changes have occurred that will contribute significantly to Advance Transit's long term viability. I know the employees and Board of Directors share my outlook that Advance Transit will continue to improve in 1988.

CANAAN FIRE DEPARTMENT

FOR THE YEAR DECEMBER 1986 TO NOVEMBER 30, 1987

The Canaan Fire Department was called out 90 times for the year December 1, 1986 to December 1, 1987. 22 calls were false alarms. Some for Canaan School, some for Low income housing, and some for Indian River Grange.

Respectfully submitted,

Gilbert Downing
Fire Chief

POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT — 1987

Ambulance Assists	16
House Checks	19
Open Buildings Found	33
Animal Complaints	110
Fire Department Assists	29
Funeral Details	4
Messages Delivered	123
Missing Persons	31
Relays	43
Assist to Other Depts.	99
Suspicious Person Complaints	42
Lost or Abandoned Property	36
Towed Vehicles	3
Wanted Persons/PD Info.	209
Domestic Complaints	76
Assaults/Sexual Assaults	22
Theft Investigations	74
Burglary Investigations	37
Criminal Trespass	42
Death Investigations	6
Criminal Arrests	119
Disorderly Conduct Complaints	51
Criminal Mischief Complaints	30
Truants	7

Alarms Answered	22
Civil Matters Investigated	73
Threatening Phone Calls	13
Other Investigations	139
Permits Issued	68
Community Relations Events	16
Number of Officers Requested for Outside Overtime Details	71

MOTOR VEHICLE ACTIVITY - 1987

Personal Injury Accidents	11
Property Damage over $500.	51
Property Damage under $500.	41
Motor Vehicle Summonses	490
Traffic Warnings Issued	344
Suspicious Vehicle Complaints	31
Traffic Hazard Complaints	42
Assist to Disabled Vehicles	88
VIN Checks	1
Defective Equipment Checks	227
Parking Tickets Issued	26
Vehicle OperationComplaints	69
DWI Arrests	44

CRUISER OPERATION

Total Cruiser Mileage	60,309
Gallons of Gasoline Used	4,172

1987 has been a building year for the Canaan Police Department. On December 1, 1987, the Canaan Fire Department vacated the old fire station and moved into their beautiful new facility on Parker Street. The Board of Selectmen immediately gave me the go-ahead to start the construction necessary to renovate the old fire station into a new police station, as voted on at Town Meeting in March.

Progress on this project is far exceeding our expectations, thanks to the superb efforts of all the police officers, who are providing the majority of construction labor. This, along with the support of several local contractors and members of our community who have donated their services in many ways, will provide the Town of Canaan with a modern, spacious Police facility that will serve the community for many years.

In May of this year, Paul Stoner joined the Police Department as a part-time officer. Paul comes to us with an impressive background. He is a retired Major, serving 26 years in the Special Forces Division of the U.S. Army. He has already successfully completed the part-time police officer training offered through New Hampshire Police Standards and Training. This course required over 80 hours of training and was held at the Newport N.H. Police Department.

Our commitment to the citizens of Canaan remain the same-to provide you with a safe community to live in; to maintain a complement of officers that are properly trained to respond to any situation and handle it properly; and to continue to build a department that is responsive to our community's growing needs.

REPORT OF THE MEETING HOUSE COMMITTEE — 1987

During the past year the replastering of the walls on the balcony level and the north wall was completed. The wood wainscoat on the balcony level (c. 1885) was removed exposing the earlier wide board wainscoating.

The principal "pulpit" window on the north was reinstalled in its original high position.

A bronze placque was installed alongside the east door of the tower showing that the building was listed on the National Historic Site Register.

Four large painted canvas stage backdrops were removed from the attic, found to be in remarkably good condition, and are now stored on the balcony level. It is hoped that they can be displayed during the coming year.

The use of the building during the summer months was increased. A number of meetings of various Town committees were held in the building and the Fourth of July Celebration, Craft Show and Currier and Ives Print Show added to the restoration fund and the enjoyment of the building by the people of the Town.

The regular striking of the hour by the tower clock and the lights on the tower every night add charm and significance to the beauty of this wonderful bit of history.

Treasurer's Balance January 1, 1987	$10,326.11
Expenses	4,689.00
Income	9,333.94
Balance on Hand December 31, 1987	$14,971.05

Respectfully submitted,

Wylie Mitchell, Chairman
Charles C. Bent, II, Secretary
James R. Miller, Treasurer
Pamela W. Webster
Benjamin Yamashita

BUILDING PERMITS

Roger Remacle, Sr. is our Building Inspector, and has done a great job for the town of Canaan.

Building Improvements	56
Mobile Homes	28
New Houses	37
Garages & Polesheds	40
Total Building Permits	161

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK
For The Year Ending December 31, 1987

Vehicle registrations - 3337	$164,521.00	
Motor vehicle title applications	790.00	
Municipal Agent fees collected	3,016.50	
Dog licenses - 413 single & group lic.	1,996.00	
Dog fines collected	20.00	
Copies of records	162.00	
Marriage licenses issued - 22	440.00	
U.C.C. filing charges	1,011.50	
Election filing fees	5.00	
Recording fees	15.00	
Checklist purchases	16.00	
Returned check charges	30.00	
Pole licenses recorded	75.00	
Cemetery lots deeded	1,200.00	
		$173,298.00
Total remittances to the treasurer		$173,298.00

Respectfully submitted,

Emily J. Heuss
Town Clerk

CANAAN HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION — 1987

The past year has been a relatively quiet one for the Commission. Property owners within the District have been most cooperative and have shown considerable regard for the revised Regulations which were accepted in 1986.

Three applications for remodelling/building have been received and approved during the year.

A surveyor has been employed to mark the District bounds at the north and south on Canaan Street and at the west on Roberts Road.

Respectfully submitted,

Wylie Mitchell, Chairman
Nancy B. Loomis, Secretary
Margaret C. Taussig
Daniel Fleetham
Beverly Wakely, Alternate
James Miller, Alternate

OLD HOME DAYS REPORT

The 1987 "Old Home Days" weekend was held July 31, August 1 and 2 and was a big success. The theme was the "U.S. Constitution and You". Our "Thanks" to everyone that participated and gave their time and support to make the weekend an enjoyable and successful Community Event.

Friday, July 31, the Policemen's Lobster and Chicken Barbeque opened the weekend Festivities, followed by the Firemen's Auction at the new Fire Station.

Saturday, August 1, the Craft Fair and Food Concessions opened on the Common and William Field at 9 am. The Parade at 9:30 am was the best yet, and led by the Norwich-Hanover Band and the American Legion Color Guard. The Grand Marshall was Charles Clifford of West Canaan. The many colorful floats followed the Theme "The U.S. Constitution and You".

Following the Parade, there was entertainment at William's Field. A Concert by the Norwich-Hanover Band, Demos by the "Foggy Mountain Cloggers" and the "Mt. Cardigan Squares". Horseshoe pitching at 10:30 am with prizes was held. From 10 am-4 pm the "Flower and Plant Show" at the Legion Building, and also 10 am-4 pm, the "Indian River Gun Show" at the Indian River Sports Building. The Soap Box Derby was at High Street at 1 pm. The Historic District on Canaan Street was open from 1 pm -4 pm. included was: The Old Meeting House, the North Church and the Museum. The Rug Hookers had a "Rug Exhibit" at the Old meeting House. At 8 pm-11:45 pm, the Dance under the Tent at William's Field was held with "Rocky Road Band" and enjoyed by a large attendance. Drawings for Door Prizes were held at Intermission.

Sunday, August 2, Morning Services at all churches. At 1 pm Volleyball games were held at William's Field, and at 4 pm the Annual Service at the Old North Church was held with a large attendance. A very nice way to close the weekend festivities.

Funds for the Old Home Days weekend were raised through donations, Sale of T-shirts, ads and sponsors for the programs, sale of pins, raffle of Hooked Rug and Baby Quilt (The Rug was won by Cindy Neily, Canaan, NH and the Baby Quilt was won by Jennie Joyce, Grafton, NH), and town funding. We are also selling Libby Glass Coffee Mugs with the Old Home Days Logo. We raised $3,731.25 and expenses totaled $2,768.46 for the weekend.

The Committee holds meetings from February thru December on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm to plan the Old Home Day Celebration and Activities. The dates for 1988 will be August 5, 6, and 7th. The theme will be "Country-Western".

We are always open to suggestions to make the Old Home Days interesting to everyone in the Community. If you have any ideas, please let us know.

Respectfully submitted,

Old Home Days Committee
Georgia Tilton
John Ricard
Co-Chairman

MASCOMA HOME HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

For nineteen years, Mascoma Home Health Services has provided home and community health care. We have attempted to meet the needs of the residents of the communities we provide care to, but also to be circumspect in how resources were used to accomplish this goal.

The Maternal and Child Health Program grows each year as young families move into the area. Enrollment in the well child clinic which is held monthly was 181 this year, and a total of 314 clinic visits. The Dental Clinic held twice yearly made preventive dental care available to 120. The child health nurse made 57 home visits to newborns, and 90 home visits for follow-up care for other children. Three Parent Aides are now available to assist young mothers as well as Mother's Support Groups which include group activities for the children. Thirty-one families and 55 children are or have been involved in the groups. A Pediatric Nurse Practitioner is available for consultation counceling and also works in the other programs.

Other health promotion activities include Blood Pressure Clinics at which 1240 readings have been made this year. Referrals are made for medical help if needed. At the Flu Clinic 80 people received the vaccine another 45 in their homes or at the office. In November of this year, monthly Foot Care Clinics were started at the office in Canaan. Medical Equipment Loans, and an Emergency Food Pantry is also offered. Supplies are donated by groups and individuals, otherwise this service would not be possible.

The visiting nurse, therapists, home health aides and homemakers have made 5755 home visits to 177 individuals and have traveled over 47,000 miles. It is this kind of care that has delayed and often prevented the need for institutional care, and allowed people to remain independent as we all like to be.

One of our most valuable resources are our volunteers. We have twenty-two who do a variety of tasks in most of the programs and some transportation of patients. This year they have contributed over 850 hours.

Thank you for your continued support of the agency programs. Working together to provide quality care for the community is what we strive to do.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet G. Knight
Executive Director

REPORT OF THE CANAAN CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Conservation Commission continues to work toward fulfilling its duties as outlined by NH RSA 36A: to ensure the "Proper utilization and protection of the natural resources and.....the protection of watershed resources" of the town. An essential aspect of this task is the processing of Dredge & Fill Permit applications. (These are required of anyone proposing any construction in a wetland or adjacent to open water. Applications are available from the Town Clerk.) Most of the applications have been approved; one violation (failure to obtain a permit) was reported to the State Wetlands Board.

New soils maps for the town are finally complete. We have signed a contract with the Grafton County Conservation District for seas of maps showing soil type, wetland soils and important farmlands, to be delivered in early 1988. These should form an excellent base for establishing an inventory of wetlands, as well as other natural resources.

The Commission has grown this year, welcoming two new members and one returning member who had resigned temporarily due to other committments. An ammendment to the enabling statute, passed this summer, allows for the appointment of alternates to the Commission. We would be happy to hear from any resident interested in lending his or her expertise to our endeavors.

Respectfully submitted,

Kate Brooks, Chairman

REPORT OF THE TREASURER
For The Year Ending December 31, 1987

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1987	$ 494,725.67
Receipts from Selectmen	1,710,870.81
Receipts from Tax Collector	1,903,960.19
Receipts from Town Clerk	173,298.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$3,788,129.00
Total Receipts & Beginning Balance	$4,282,854.67
Less Payments	4,073,122.54
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1987	$ 209,732.13
Balance on Hand consists of:	
General Account	700.95
Payroll Account	855.19
MM Account	202,679.73
Sugarbush Escrow	4,114.04
Fire Department Memorial Fund	1,382.22
	$ 209,732.13

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Lary
Treasurer

HEADREST

Headrest, Inc. the Upper Valley's Information Center and 24-Hour Crisis Hotline, thanks the residents of Canaan for their support. In 1987 the hotline served 59 Canaan residents on 102 occasions in the following ways:

Assault/Abuse Children	2	Family Related	14
Assault/Abuse Women	4	Financial/Material Assist.	5
Alcohol	11	Handicapped	1
Caring Listener	21	Health Related	9
Child Care	-	Housing	3
Consumer	-	Job Related	2
Counseling Requested	16	Legal	1
Depression/Anxiety	1	Other Info. & Referral	14
Drug Related	7	Runaway	1
Energy Related	-	Suicide	3
Fuel Emergency	1	Transportation	-
Lodging Req., not used	3	Volunteer, Donation	2
Lodged at Headrest	13	Collaboration	5
Lodged Elsewhere	1		
		Total Situations	140

Outpatient Substance Abuse Counseling: 5 residents for 61 hours.

Substance Abuse Outreach: 6 hours to 655 students at Mascoma High School.

Twenty-four hours a day, each and every day of the year, Headrest staff and volunteers are available to provide the following services:

INFORMATION & REFERRAL: Whenever you have a question or problem and aren't sure where to turn, call us. We have information about local agencies and services, and we can help guide you to the person or place who is best able to help. We have information on consumers' and tenants' rights, drugs and alcohol, and more. We make referrals for personal counseling, legal assistance, support groups, and other emergency services.

SOMEONE TO TALK TO IN CONFIDENCE: Our hotline workers are trained to offer you understanding, respect, and emotional support in a non-judging manner. Call us when you're feeling lonely, anxious, worried, upset, or overwhelmed.

HELP IN A CRISIS: If it's an emergency there's someone immediately available at Headrest to give you personal support and help you contact additional resources. We are a suicide prevention hotline, and have special expertise in handling crises involving the use of alcohol and other drugs.

EMERGENCY LODGING: Temporary emergency shelter is offered to local and transient people referred to us by the police, hospitals, churches, and mental health centers. Supervised overnight lodging for intoxicated persons is funded by the NH & VT Offices of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention.

ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE PROGRAMS: We offer information, educational presentations, and individual and family counseling about substance abuse issues.

We are extremely grateful for continued local support, and

proud of our record of 16 years of continuous service to the Upper Valley. Our thanks to everyone who supports the United Way, who volunteers at Headrest or with other services, and who joined the Friends of Headrest for 1987. With your help we can continue to improve our services for the benefit of all.

We welcome your comments, suggestions, or questions about our services so we can be responsive to the needs of the community. Feel free to contact us at 448-4872, the business line; or 448-4400, the hotline. Thank you.

Rick Barrows,
Administrative Director

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

The Planning Board met regularly on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month in 1987. During the year, a total of 23 subdivisions were approved, which brought in revenue of $888.99 to the town. Planning board expenses for the year totaled $1,097.32.

Public hearings were held on the revised master plan, which was adopted on June 4, 1987. The next tasks before the Planning are to revise our current subdivision regulations so that they will meet State requirements and to begin preparations for bringing a proposal for zoning before the town.

At the end of the year, the Planning Board regretfully accepted the resignation of a long standing member, Wylie Mitchell. The Board wishes to thank Mr. Mitchell for the many years of dedicated service and leadership he has given to the town through his activities on the Planning Board.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald E. Blunt, Chairman

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY
As of December 31, 1987

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings		$ 229,150
Furniture and Equipment		36,000
Libraries, Lands and Buildings		119,700
Furniture and Equipment		55,655
Police Department, Equipment		39,500
Fire Department, Land and Building		109,300
Equipment		65,500
Highway Department, Land and Building		26,150
Equipment		233,919
Materials and Supplies		123,560
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds		124,050
Water Supply Facilities		77,300
L/O W/S River Road	1.43 acres	4,050
L/O off Route 4	10.5 acres	400
L/O E/S Fernwood Farms Road	28 acres	11,450
Grange Senior Center		112,750
Misc. Land		2,800
Old Meeting House		249,250
Cemetery Building		3,500
		$1,623,984

Budget for the current fiscal year is $8,947,343. Town taxes to the County average 6.7% or $2.21 per $1,000, of the property owner's tax bill. The major portion of county expenses goes to the operation of the Nursing Home (39.69%) and to human services programs for the elderly, disabled, nursing care and children (26.86%).

REGISTRY OF DEEDS had gross income of $3,630,159 in 1987. The total number of documents processed in 1987 was 29,983. $3,184,982 was received in transfer tax, of which 9% or $3,057,584 went to the State of NH and 4% or $127,398 was retained as county income. Other receipts include recording and copy fees in the amount of $445,177. Total income to the County was $572,575 compared to a total of $3,057,584 paid to the State, although the County is liable for 100% of all operating costs.

HUMAN SERVICES: Old Age & Disabled grant programs remain fairly constant with the elderly program averaging 100 cases at $4,800 per month and the disabled averaging 225 cases at $21,000 per month.

Intermediate Nursing Care caseload increased with SB-1 where the County became responsible for all INC cases and eliminated town liability. INC cases now average 255 at $110,000 per month, a rapidly increasing cost to the counties with savings to the towns.

Children and Youth Services also became a county liability under Senate Bill 1, with counties reimbursing the State 25% for all child service costs. It is impossible to give accurate figures for child expenses, as they are rapidly increasing monthly. Current accounts reflect 130 to 150 cases costing from $64,000 to $75,000 per month. (At the beginning of this fiscal year, we had approximately 120 cases at about $50,000 per month.) The County has 25% funding liability of child placement costs and we are taking an active interest in the needs of children in Grafton County.

Social Service agencies receive $247,217 or $4.03 per capita, to provide much needed services for home health, mental health, developmentally disabled, senior citizens transportation and nutri tion and many other valuable programs.

CORRECTIONAL FACILITY is increasingly overpopulated, now averaging 58 inmates per day and frequently housing 60+. The current cost of operation is $28.63 per inmate day. We have contracted with an architect to present design and cost for a 34 bed addition Schematic designs and price estimates are expected by mid-January to go out for bid by late January with bid results due in by the end of February. Funding issues should go to the delegation and public in March with anticipated ground breaking in April.

GRAFTON COUNTY NURSING HOME for intermediate nursing care is licensed for 136 beds and is about 80% reimbursable. FY 87 cost per patient day was $68.78 with $58.87 reimbursed by Medicaid.

GRAFTON COUNTY FARM continues to be self-supporting and provides work for inmates as well as offering access for experimental agricultural projects. This is primarily a dairy farm with an average herd of 170, but also grows produce for the nursing home.

GRAFTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS meet weekly on Wednesdays. We encourage public attendance and welcome facility tours.

We were deeply saddened by the deaths of Commissioner Arthur E. Snell, Dist. #2, and Commissioner Leonard Anderson, Dist. #3, early this year.

GRAFTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

Dorothy Campion-Corcoran,
Chairperson
Everett Grass, Clerk
Betty Jo Taffe, Commissioner

REPORT OF CANAAN F.A.S.T. INC. 1987

The year 1987 was a busy year for the Fast Squad.

Run Breakdown as follows.

Total Runs:	179
Ambulance Miles:	6823.2
Ambulance Hours:	360.9
Man Hours:	1764.0

We have established a goal during 1987 to acquire a Cardiac Monitor - Defibrillator and have been looking at the various units available. This piece of equipment (while expensive $9000.00) is considered to be the best possible hope for cardiac patients.

Training at an advanced level will be provided for the squad through Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center.

The important message for all of the communities we serve - and most important for residents in West Canaan - is to call 523-4343. Not only will calling that number get service to you faster it will help us to know what to prepare while en route.

We will be working on education for the residents of all the communities to insure that an early call is placed. We hope to impress everyone that it is much easier, safer and assures each patient of more definitive care if the correct (523-4343) call is placed - early.

As always we look for interested persons to join in our efforts an continue to solicit suggestions as to how we can improve the service.

Please call us at (523-4343) for information or write to us at CANAAN F.A.S.T. INC., P. O. BOX 67 Canaan NH 03741.

Respectfully Submitted:

Daniel B. Ware, President

CANAAN F.A.S.T. INC.

UPPER VALLEY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COMMITTEE

The Upper Valley Household Hazardous Waste Committee, an organization representing several organizations has been providing Household Hazardous Waste Collection services and taking the lead in a substantial public education project in the Upper Valley for the last four years.

Collections began with a grant from the state of Vermont. With only a few months of planning time, the Committee organized the event, which was held at the Hartford Fire Station on November 3, 1984. One hundred nine (109) households participated in the Collection, and 24 drums of materials were collected from 9 AM to 1 PM.

Recent collections have been funded primarily by the Lebanon Landfill and by the State of New Hampshire. Some private donations have also been received.

In 1985, the Collection was held at the former Pringle-Lester Chevrolet Dealership lot on Route 120 in Lebanon, New Hampshire on Green-Up Day, May 4th. One hundred thirty two (132) households participated, and 25 drums were collected.

The "First weekend in May" tradition continued with the 1986 Collection being held at the same site on May 3rd. Compared with the previous year, almost twice as many households, 250, participated, with 32 drums collected.

The fourth Household Hazardous Waste Collection was held on May 2, 1987 at the Hanover Shuttle Bus Site on Route 120 in Hanover. This collection far exceeded the Committee's expectations of household participation and after 30 drums of materials were filled, the Committee had to close down the collection, 1 and 1/2 hours early. The car count exceeded 300, excluding the approximately 75 cars that had to be turned away.

The Committee is once again preparing for the annual household hazardous waste collection, to be held on "Green-Up Day", 1988. Our organization has matured and is stronger than ever, and we are prepared for substantially increased household participation this year. All area residents are invited to partake in the annual collection. Let's keep our landfills and groundwater free from contamination. See you in May!

COMMON TRUST FUNDS OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CANAAN FOR 1987

PURPOSE	BEGINNING BALANCE	INCOME	INCOME PAID OUT	INCOME EXPENSE	ENDING BALANCE
Cemetery - Birch Corner	.02	15.30	-14.33	-.99	.00
Cemetery - Canaan Street	30341.00	7069.15	-4405.88	-456.86	32547.41
Cemetery - Cobble Hill	.03	15.25	-14.29	-.99	.00
Cemetery - Jones Hill	75.03	60.12	-86.50	-3.89	44.76
Cemetery - Sawyer Hill	595.91	389.21	-589.40	-25.15	370.57
Cemetery - St. Mary's	.18	115.06	-107.80	-7.44	.00
Cemetery - W Canaan	4648.72	1681.33	-1225.25	-108.66	4996.14
Cemetery - Wells	95985.49	15658.36	-5377.41	-1011.97	105254.47
Cemetery - West Farms	166.35	246.32	-257.57	-15.92	139.18
General	1155.37	93.37	-348.39	-6.03	894.32
Hospital	1738.83	1653.46	-1738.83	-106.86	1546.60
Library	1232.42	1171.82	-1232.42	-75.73	1096.09
Library	697.90	663.64	-697.90	-42.89	620.75
Literature	198.64	188.88	-198.64	-12.21	176.67
Town	207.37	182.20	-207.37	-11.78	170.42
Wells Cemetery Water	59960.99	4845.76	-56.44	-313.17	64437.14
TOTALS	197004.25	34049.23	-16558.42	-2200.54	212294.52
Friends of Mascoma School	3386.82	435.34	-90.76	-28.14	3703.26
Historical Museum Fund	1189.12	419.36	-1297.00	-27.09	284.39
GRAND TOTALS	201580.19	34903.93	-17946.18	-2255.77	216282.17

We certify that the assets listed above were in our custody on the date shown.

CHARTER TRUST COMPANY

REVENUES

SOURCES OF REVENUE	ESTIMATED REVENUES 1987	ACTUAL REVENUES 1987	SELECTMEN'S BUDGET 1987	ESTIMATED REVENUES 1987
TAXES				
Resident Taxes	1500.00	16540.00	16000.00	16000.00
Yield Taxes	10000.00	11878.00	11000.00	11000.00
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	25000.00	30477.00	28000.00	28000.00
Land Use Change Tax	.00	14015.00	10000.00	10000.00
INTERGOVENMENTAL REVENUES STATE				
Shared Revenue-Block Grant	107000.00	124876.00	120000.00	120000.00
Highway Block Grant	84193.00	84194.00	91700.00	91700.00
Railroad Tax	500.00	.00	.00	.00
Reimb. ac State-Federal Forest Land	350.00	333.00	300.00	300.00
Reimb. Fighting Forest Fires	.00	208.00	.00	00
INTERGOVENMENTAL REVENUES-FEDERAL				
Grant Water Improvement Project	.00	54513.00	.00	.00
Grant-Grange Senior Center	.00	5993.00	.00	.00
Reimb. Flood emergency	.00	10460.00	.00	.00
LICENSES AND PERMITS				
Motor Vehicle Permit fees	138000.00	164521.00	170000.00	170000.00
Dog Licenses	1550.00	1996.00	2000.00	2000.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Fees	1000.00	1080.00	1000.00	1000.00
CHARGES FOR SERVICES				
Income from Departments	22000.00	33328.00	30000.00	30000.00
Dorchester/Orange Fire Protection	1500.00	1000.00	2000.00	2000.00
Income from Lebanon District Court	.00	2825.00	3000.00	3000.00

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
Interest on Deposits	35000.00	32355.00	30000.00	30000.00
Sale of Town Property & Cemetery Lots	1500.00	1856.00	1500.00	1500.00
Old Meeting House Fund Donations	5000.00	8594.00	12000.00	12000.00
Reimb. - General Assistance	300.00	574.00	300.00	300.00
Refunds, Dividends, Insurance Claims	.00	14285.00	.00	.00
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES				
Income from Water	19500.00	18495.00	18000.00	18000.00
Revenue Sharing Fund	24172.00	25051.00	.00	.00
Waste Water Design	300000.00	.00	.00	.00
Historic Museum Withdrawals	4297.00	1297.00	1500.00	1500.00
Old Meeting House Withdrawals	11500.00	5026.00	12000.00	12000.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	793862.00	665770.00	560300.00	560300.00

TOWN OF CANAAN TRUSTS COMMON FUND

Descripton	Balance 01/01/87	Added	Sold	Gain or (loss)	Balance 12/31/87	Income for year
BANK OF BOSTON - CHECKING	1865.31	.00	1865.31	.00	.00	.00
FEDERAL SB MMA	.00	29298.30	.00	.00	29298.30	1216.41
LAKE SUNAPEE SB MMA	.00	25000.00	25000.00	.00	.00	344.40
MEREDITH VILLAGE SB MMA	.00	5600.00	5600.00	.00	.00	334.47
MERRIMACK COUNTY SB MMA	55065.45	.00	55065.45	.00	.00	898.75
SB OF WALPOLE MMA	.00	18000.00	18000.00	.00	.00	17.64
BRISTOL BANK	.00	100000.00	.00	.00	100000.00	2300.00
CONNECTICUT RIVER SB	75000.00	.00	75000.00	.00	.00	3008.23
FIRST FEDERAL BANK	.00	30000.00	.00	.00	30000.00	1618.46
GOVT NATIONAL MTG ASSN	69129.04	.00	12386.95	-108.39	56633.70	5563.28
MASCOMA SB	75000.00	.00	.00	.00	75000.00	6635.61
MERIMACK COUNTY SB	.00	5559.75	.00	.00	5559.75	172.93
NEW HAMPSHIRE SAVINGS BAN	100000.00	.00	.00	.00	100000.00	8942.53
NH SAVINGS BANK	50000.00	.00	.00	.00	50000.00	3825.47
MASCOMA SAVINGS BANK	.00	8300.00	8300.00	.00	.00	25.75
TOTALS	426059.80	221758.05	201217.71	-108.39	446491.75	34903.93

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS FOR THE TOWN OF CANAAN 1987

PURPOSE	BENINNING BALANCE	NEW FUNDS	PAID OUT	ENDING BALANCE	BEGINNING BALANCE	INCOME	TOTALS
SEWER FUND	11646.79	.00	.00	11646.79	2238.16	881.27	14766.22
FIRE TRUCK	62957.94	5000.00	.00	67957.94	12468.04	5104.62	85530.60
LIBRARY RENOVATION	89.69	.00	.00	89.69	12.58	6.49	108.76
BRIDGES	5000.00	.00	.00	5000.00	309.31	336.98	5646.29
POLICE CRUISER	4500.00	6000.00	.00	10500.00	1586.38	767.12	12853.50
REVALUATION	.00	36172.00	.00	36172.00	.00	2295.83	38467.83
NEW EQUIPMENT	4512.09	4000.00	.00	8512.09	2818.32	719.14	12049.55
FIRE HOUSE	1981.47	.00	.00	1981.47	1206.35	202.33	3390.15
BRIDGE FUND	16631.16	5000.00	.00	21631.16	2682.92	1543.21	25857.29
TOTALS	107319.14	56172.00	.00	163491.14	23322.06	11856.99	198670.19

TOWN OF CANAAN EQUIPMENT

Fire Department

ENGINE 1: 1967 Ford F600 Farrar Pumper, 500GPM, 500 GAL Booster Tank

1 - Hose reel w/electric rewind
1 - Forestry Radio
1 - Citizens Band Radio
1 - Hi Band Radio
1 - Portable Radio
1 - Battery Powered Megaphone
4 - Flashlights
8 - Wrenches
1 - Rubber Mallet
3 - 10' Sections of 4 1/2"
2 - Strainers for Hard Suction
1 - 2 1/2" non-gated Wye
1 - 2 1/2" non-gated Siamese
1 - Hose clamp
4 - 2 1/2" Double Connectors
4 - 2 1/2" to 1 1/2" Adapters
2 - 4" Double Female Connectors
1 - 4 1/2" to 2 1/2" Double Adapter
6 - Combination Nozzles
650' - 1 1/2" Hose
1000' - 2 1/2" Hose
2 - Fire Extinguishers
3 - Ladders
1 - 1500 Gallon Tank
1 - 16' Tow Chain
2 - Salvage Covers
1 - Pump Cover
4 - Wool Blankets
4 - Breathing Apparatus
8 - Spare Bottles
1 - 3500 Watt Generator
3 - Circle D Lights
4 - electric Cords
3 - Adapters
1 - Booster Cable Attachment
4 - Truck Mounted Spotlights
1 - Smoke Ejector
1 - Smoke Ejector Holder
4 - Pike Poles
1 - 3' Closet Hook
2 - Halligan Tools
4 - Axes
1 - 3' Pry Bar
1 - Long-handled Spade
2 - Council Tools
2 - Ratan Brooms
1 - Chimney Cleaner
1 - 50' Chain with Weight
2 - Pr. Asbestos Gloves
3 - Galvanized Pails
1 - Chimney Mirror
1 - Stove Shovel
11 - Chimney Fuses
8 - Chemical Chimney Bombs
1 - 24" Pipe Wrench
1 - First Aid Kit

ENGINE 2: 1954 International Farrar Pumper, 450GMP, 500 Gallon Booster Tank

1 - Hose reel w/manual rewind
1 - Hi Band Radio
4 - Flashlights (6V)
12 - Wrenches
1 - Rubber Mallet
3 - 10' Sections of 4 1/2"
2 - 10' Sections of 2 1/2"
1 - 350GPM Portable Pump
2 - Box Strainers
1 - Gas Powered Ice Auger
2 - 2 1/2" Gate Valves
3 - Reducers
2 - Gated Wyes
1 - Non-gated Wye
1 - 2 1/2" Siamense
2 - Reducers
5 - Nozzles
2 - Ladders
1 - 3500 Watt Generator
2 - Circle D Lights
4 - Heavy Duty Exten. Cords
2 - Breathing Apparatus
3 - Fire Extinguishers
2 - Pickhead Axes
1 - 10' Pike Pole
1 - Heavy Duty Bolt Cutters
1 - 3' Pry Bar
1 - 16' Tow Chain
1 - Salvage Cover
1000' - 2 1/2" Hose
300' - 1 1/2" Hose
3 - Ratan Brooms
3 - Hazel Hoes
16 - Tools
1 - Pair of Wheel Blocks
1 - External Radio Speaker
1 - Pump Cover
1 - Wool Blanket
3 - Bunker Coats

TANKER 1: 1967 Ford F600, 1300GAL Tank, 8" Quick-dump Valve

2 - 250GPM Portable Pumps
2 - 10' Sections of 2 1/2"
2 - 2 1/2" Box Strainers
10 - Wrenches
3 - Plastic Nozzles
1 - Gated Wye
1 - Reducer
150' - 2 1/2" Hose
250' - 1 1/2" Hose
1 - Hi Band Radio
1 - Portable Radio
3 - Flashlights
1 - Hose Strap
1 - First Aid Kit
1 - 5 Gallon Gas Can
2 - Screwdrivers
1 - Adjustable Wrench
1 - Pliers
1 - Sparkplug Wrench
1 - Package of Sm. Wrenches
1 - 20lb. Fire Extinguisher
1 - External Radio Speaker

EQUIPMENT ISSUED TO FIREFIGHTERS:

33 - Lexan Helmets
33 - Bunker Coats
2 - Coats for Fire Police
4 - Portable Radios
2 - Heavy Duty Flashlights
36 - Pagers w/Charger Units

EQUIPMENT IN STATION:

3250' - 2 1/2" Hose
1700' - 1 1/2" Hose
1 - Portable Power Saw
2 - Booster Reels
1 - 15' Section
1 - Forestry Radio
2 - 85000 BTU Heaters
2 - 5 GAL Fuel Cans
5 - Fire Extinguisher
7 - Back Pumps
6 - Ratan Brooms
7 - Forestry Axes
9 - Council Tools
8 - Hazel Hoes
1 - Kenny Rake
2 - Shovels
1 - Foam Eductor
1 - Hose Roller
6 - Spare Fire Coats
1 - Trickle Charger

Police Department

DEPARTMENT VEHICLES:

1 - 1984 Ford LTD Crown Victoria 4 door sedan Police Cruiser
1 - 1978 Honda XL340 Motor Cycle
1 - 1986 Ford LTD Crown Victoria 4 door sedan Police Cruiser

WEAPONS:

2 - Remington Model 870 Pump 12 Guage Shotguns
6 - Bereta Model 92F 9mm semi-auto Pistols
1 FIE Shortbarreled Shotgun (12 guage single shot)
1 - S&W Model 36 38 Caliber Chief Special Ariweight
1 - Colt 45 Model 1911, 45 caliber semi-auto

CRUISER EQUIPMENT:

2 - Whelen Model 8000 Series Strobe Light Bars
2 - Whelen Electronic Siren Amplifiers
2 - Streamlite Rechargeable flashlights
1 - 5lb Kiddie Fire Extinguisher
1 - 5lb General Fire Extinguisher
1 - 2 1/2lb Kiddie Fire Extinguisher
2 - 30 Caliber Ammo Boxes
2 - Kenson Tape Measurers
2 - Measure Master Wheels

2 - S&W Dash Mount Shotgun Holders
2 - Cruiser Safety Shields
2 - First Aid Kits
2 - Front Seat Cruiser Organizers
4 - Saunders Clip Boards (Aluminum)
5 - GE Master PE Series Portable Radios & Chargers
1 - GE Master Cruiser Radio 4 Channel (installed in Office)
2 - Motorola SYNTOR Cruiser Radios
1 - GE Porta-Pack for PE Series Portable Radio
2 - King Portable Radio & Chargers
1 - King Battery Charger

ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

1 - Page-Com Telephone recorder
1 - Kustom Signal KR-10 SP Radar Unit & Antenna
1 - Southern VP Dash Light (Blue)

OFFICE EQUIPMENT

1 - Steel Desk
5 - Legal Size File Cabinets
6 - File Card Files
2 - Telephones
1 - 60 Hole Storage Shelf
1 - Fingerprint Desk
2 - Royal Manual Typewriters
1 - IBM Electric Typewriter (Used)
2 - Office Desk Chairs
5 - Office Chairs
1 - Typewriter Table
1 - Set of N.H. RSAs Volume 1 - 6A/NH Reports Vol. 117 & up
1 - Photo Copier Stand
1 - Royal 1200MC Copier
1 - IBM Selectric III Typewriter

MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT

1 - Polaroid Model 660 Sun Camera
1 - Fingerprint Kit
1 - Superstriper Cross Walk Painter
1 - Fish Tank (Fuming Tank)
1 - Kiddie 6lb Fire Extinguisher
1 - Pr. Bushnell Ensign Field Glasses
2 - Halon Fire Extinguishers

Highway Department

14 - Assorted Chisels	$	44.00
1 -4 Piece Set of Line Up Punches		19.00
12 -Assorted Hammers		182.00
1 -Splitting Maul		20.00
20 -Assorted Screw Drivers		30.00
3 -Clamps		37.00
3 -Vise Grips		16.00
6 -Assorted Pliers		105.49
2 -Cutting Dykes		13.00
1 -Battery Charger, tester, terminal puller, spreader		189.29
1 -Master Mech. Staple Gun		20.69
1 -100 Foot Stanley Tape Measure		15.00

1 -Engine Compression Tester	35.75
14 -Assorted Wrenches (Adjustable, Pipe, Allen, Air)	805.49
4 - Socket -(Spindle Nut, Wheel Bearing & Sets)	524.95
1 -1/2" to 3/4" Adapter, 3/4" to 1/2" Adapter	9.88
1 -1/2" Drive Impact Tool	15.00
1 -Skill Saw	45.99
2 -Grinders (Bench & Disc)	159.00
1 -3/8 Drive Black & Decker Drill	35.00
1 -Ele. Soldering Gun	45.99
1 -Galion Model A-550 Motor Grader w/Wing & Plow	91130.00
1-1980 Clark 35C Front End Loader	30000.00
1 -1978 JCB Loader Backhoe Model 3D2	8000.00
1 -1971 International 1910-A Truck	5000.00
1 -1978 International 1700 4X4 Truck	20000.00
1 -1982 International 1800 Truck	27000.00
1 -1986 International 1954 Truck	31789.00
1 -1986 G.M.C. High Serra 3500 4X4 Dump Truck	17500.00
4 -Sets of Tire Chains for Trucks	480.00
2 -Sets of Tire Chains for Grader	600.00
2 -V-Plows	10000.00
1 -Bulldozer Blade for Grader	
4 -One Way Snow Plows for Trucks	12000.00
3 -Foot Wings for Trucks	6000.00
1 -9'8" Wing and 11' Power Angle Plow Package	12885.00
2 -Angle Plows	2395.00
5 -Sand Hoppers	217000.00
5 -Spare tires & Wheel for Grader and Trucks	600.00
1 -Steam Cleaner	2087.00
1 -Bush Chipper	11580.00
1 -Maxon Portable Radio	501.50

MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT

Road Broom, Rake, Culvert Steamer, Road Drag, Plow Frames, Sand & Gravel Screen, Black Beauty Sand, 22 Ton Press, Barrier Lights, Putty Knifes, Gasket Scrapers, Rivet Gun, Cylinder Hone, Pulley Puller, Torches, Extension Cords, Drill Sets, Ladders, Chain Saws, Shovels, Canvas Tarps, Barrel Pumps etc. 54192.57

MISCELLANEOUS

Wood Stove, Garden Hoses, First Aid Kit, Fire Extinguisher, Gas Heaters, Fluorescent Light Bulbs, Microwave Oven, Radios, Hot Water Heater, Electric Typewriter 11268.00

SUPPLIES FOR TRUCKS & GRADER

Gasoline Tank & Pump, Diesel Fuel, Antifreeze, Oil, Transmission Fluid, Grease, Hydraulic Jacks, Welding Rods, Tire Repair & Patches, etc. 15000.00

REPORT OF CANAAN HISTORICAL MUSEUM

The Museum Committee is happy to report that after a number of clitches in getting painters, the museum is painted, with new shutters and shelfing in the first floor.

This will make us more accessible to visitors and we look forward to a Grand Opening this spring.

Respectfully submitted,

Margo T. Pinkerton, Chairman
Daniel W. Fleetham, Vice Chairman
Reginald E. Barney
John Q. Ricard
Mary Wyman
Harold Wyman

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Selectmen
Town of Canaan, New Hampshire

We have compiled the financial statements of the Town of Canaan, New Hampshire for the year ended December 31, 1987 included in the accompanying form MS-5, in accordance with standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

Our Compilation was limited to presenting in the form prescribed by the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration, information that is the representation of Town Officials. We have not audited or reviewed the financial statements referred to above and, accordingly, do not express an opinion or any other form of assurance on them.

The financial report, Form MS-5, is presented in accordance with the requirements of the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration which differ from generally accepted accounting principles. Accordingly, these financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such differences.

February 15, 1988 Carey, Vachon and Clukay

MARRIAGES

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Name, Official Station, and Residence of Person by Whom Married
1987			
Jan. 24	Canaan	James F. Phillips Diane M. Young	Jennie E. Joyce, Justice of the Peace, Slab City Road, Grafton, N.H. 03240
Apr. 11	Lebanon	Brian K. Lord Lisa M. Ashline	Rev. Malcolm J. Grobe, Clergyman, Box 85, Meriden, N.H. 03770
Apr. 13	Canaan	Lewis T. Corsack Denise L. Smith	Ilene P. Reed, Justice of the Peace, Bud-Mil Road, Enfield, N.H. 03748
Apr. 22	Canaan	Kenneth H. Sensenig Joyce A. Shattuck	Inez Cushman Colby, Justice of the Peace, Bixby Street, Lebanon, N.H. 03766
Apr. 25	Franklin	Joseph S. Braley Beverly J. Sawyer	Robin D. Steady, Justice of the Peace, 18 Summer Street, Northfield, N.H.
May 13	Bedford	Robert E. Ford, Jr. Debbie L. Stevens	Delvin T. Greenleaf, Justice of the Peace 5 Shaw Drive, Bedford, N.H. 03102
June 27	Canaan	Gordon K. Brown, Jr. Wendy L. Gibbons	David M. Ackerman, Pastor, Cornish, N.H. 03746
July 4	Grafton	Paul G. Jalbert Virginia I. McKinney	Jeffrey F. Robbins, Justice of the Peace RFD 2, Box 954, Canaan, NH 03741
July 11	Claremont	Dennis F. Allen Donna M. Hall	April L. McGuire, Justice of the Peace 7 Grandview, Claremont, N.H. 03743
July 18	Enfield	Ernest P. Stark Susan A. Burns	Priscilla R. MacDougall, Pastor, P.O. Box 363, Enfield, N.H. 03748
July 25	Canaan	David Roger Olsen Madeleine J. K. Bender	Harold Finkbeiner, Jr., Asst. Chaplain, Cardigan Mountain School, Canaan, N.H. 03741

Aug. 7	Canaan	Leonard Bain Carolyn A. Kaiser	Inez Cushman Colby, Justice of the Peace, RR1, Box 129, Lebanon, N.H. 03766
Aug. 8	Canaan	R. Dana Robinson Eunice N. Hall	James P. King, Jr., Pastor RFD 1, Box 76A, Canaan, NH 03741
Aug. 13	Canaan	Lemont K. Richardson Suzanne Clark Danielson	Emily J. Heuss, Justice of the Peace, Main Street, Canaan, N.H. 03741
Aug. 22	Vanceboro, ME	Jon Ross Lounder Natalie Kay Jarvis	Gurdon Brewster, Episcopal Priest, 214 Wait Avenue, Ithaca, N.Y.
Aug. 25	Canaan	James H. Watson, Jr. Patricia M. Berkeley	Emily Heuss, Justice of the Peace, Main Street, Canaan, N.H. 03741
Aug. 29	Lebanon	Douglass A. Demers Sherry M. Symkowicz	Lawrence V. Guaraldi, Justice of the Peace 85 Bank Street, Lebanon, N.H. 03766
Aug. 29	Canaan	Leonard J. Roberts Rebel L. Goetcheus	Allen Goetcheus, Clergy 1717 Columbia Road, N.W. Washington, D.C.
Sept. 5	Lebanon	Gary E. Hill Mary A. Hutchins	Richard N. Slater, Minister, 15 Kimball Street Lebanon, N.H. 03766
Oct. 16	Canaan	Gary R. Hunter Dorothy W. Hunter	James P. King, Jr., Pastor, RR1, Box 76A, Canaan, N.H. 03741
Oct. 24	Lebanon	David A. Lowell Roberta Jo Anderson	Harold B. Blodgett, Justice of the Peace, 157 Bank Street, Lebanon, N.H. 03766
Nov. 23	Grantham	Thomas A. LaCroix Mary Ann Thornton	Kathryn L. Osgood, Justice of the Peace, Box 246, Grantham, N.H. 03753
Nov. 28	West Canaan	Terry B. Dube Tina M. Blanchard	Jennie E. Joyce, Justice of the Peace, Slab City Road, Grafton, N.H. 03240

BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1987					
Jan. 9	Lebanon	Mariah Elizabeth Dunkerton	F	Don Clayton Dunkerton	Nancy Ann Lary
Jan. 21	Lebanon	Megan Elizabeth Evans	F	Ricky Gene Evans	Nancy Elizabeth Powers
Feb. 10	Hanover	William Lanphear Mathews	M	Gustave Xavier Mathews	Judith Ellen Washer
Feb. 16	Lebanon	Melissa Marie Joy Ibey	F	Vernon Ibey	Sharelyn Grace Gibbs
Mar. 11	Hanover	Timothy John Lewis	M	Timothy Gene Lewis	Michelle Ann Hollenbeck
Mar. 16	Hanover	Miranda Lee Guaraldi	F	Timothy Joseph Guaraldi	Connie Lee Bosley
Mar. 26	Hanover	Paul Duane Allen Jr.	M	Paul Duane Allen	Diane Lynn Clark
Apr. 22	Hanover	Jacqueline Louise McCleary	F	Patrick Collie McCleary	Susan Jean White
June 1	Hanover	Anneli Rejeanne Berube	F	Roger Maurice Berube	Joyce Amelia Russell
June 10	Lebanon	Jeremy Joseph Corace	M	Russell Anthony Corace	Mary Carol Jones
June 20	Lebanon	Camee Hill	F	Alan John Hill	Kathleen Motta
June 22	Hanover	Amanda Joy Widbiller	F	Rudolf Johann Widbiller	Deborah Foster
July 22	Hanover	Kelley Lynn Moody	F	Steven Ross Moody	Rita Darlene Davis
July 25	Lebanon	Jordan William Barney	M	Dale William Barney	Bobbi Lynn Eastman
July 25	Lebanon	Kari Lynn Lundberg	F	Lester Robert Lundberg	Elaine Louise Scott
July 28	Lebanon	John-Paul Clement Perron	M	Clement Arsene Perron	Nancy Marie Hall
Aug. 10	Hanover	Allison Marie Lary	F	Kenneth Earl Lary	Eileen Joel Acerno

Sept. 18	Hanover	Matthew Stuart Munsey	M	Kendric Richard Munsey	Nancy Adams Stuart
Oct. 3	Hanover	Trevor James Rocke	M	Spencer William Rocke	Regina Maria Maville
Oct. 14	Hanover	Cassandra Lynn Price	F	Dennis Alan Price	Debra Ann Ballou
Nov. 9	Lebanon	Anne Louise Craig	F	William Michael Craig	Nicola Louise Newton
Nov. 30	Hanover	Joshua Michael Butler	M	Jeff Edward Butler	Cheryl Moore
Dec. 9	Hanover	Katie Lea Ford	F	Robert Everett Ford	Debbie Lea Wyman
Dec. 14	Hanover	Elisabeth Tilden Heiks Holmes	F	Stephen Jackson Holmes	Heidemarie Heiss

DEATHS

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 4	Canaan	Pauline M. Remick	56	Bert Dean	Marion Barnes
Apr. 11	Haverhill	Gleason Calude Decato Sr.	72	Calude A. Decato	Mary M. Haskins
Apr. 15	Canaan	Hattie May Britch	72	William Currier	Leafy M. Kelly
June 18	Hanover	Jennie Elizabeth Withington	78	Alvah Emerson	Catherine Spain
July 3	Haverhill	Llewellyn R. Brown	61	Oscar Brown	Gladys Ridgewell
July 27	Canaan	Harriet R. Bogardus	76	Dr. Frank A. Bogardus	Blanche M. Coburn
Sept. 10	Hanover	Naomi Brown	70	Walter Downing	Ethel Brown
Sept. 18	Canaan	Roy S. Hazen	85	William S. Hazen	Maggie Thorborn
Oct. 10	Lebanon	Harriet J. Taplin	86	Merinum Sweet	Alma Matteson
Oct. 10	Lebanon	Alice M. McAlister	84	John Quincey Ricard	Zillah P. Neily
Nov. 6	No. Haverhill	Clinton F. Bliss	83	Francis Bliss	Katherine Pagburn
Nov. 17	W. Canaan	Jessie Cutts Westgate	67	Harold Cutts	Esther West
Dec. 22	Lebanon	Edna Monroe	81	Peter Coutermarsh	Etta Brooks

Grafton, s.s. Town of Canaan, New Hampshire

Town Meeting adjourned from 10 March 1987 14 March 1987

Moderator Milton Wilson reconvened the 1987 Canaan Town Meeting at 1:08 P.M. at the Canaan Elementary School to take up Articles 2 through 19 of the Town Warrant.

A motion to waive the reading of the warrant articles was made by Paul Rice and seconded by G. Allen Lary; the motion was passed by a voice vote.

The moderator requested that there be no smoking in the school building, that anyone making a motion to accept or to reject an article give his name for the record, that all amendments be given in writing to the moderator, that affirmative motions for an article are preferrable, that only legally-registered Canaan voters take part in the voting, further that only one amendment will be on the floor at a time, that an individual must be recognized by the chair before he speaks and then he should direct his remarks through the chair, and, lastly, that no personal, verbal attacks will be allowed.

ARTICLE 2: To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or any other officers and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Amendment: To accept the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or any other officers, noting the lack of a report by Selectman Ware stating the reasons why he chose to ignore the will of the citizens of Canaan and therefore caused its welfare and protection to be in jeopardy.
The amendment was made by Paul Rice and seconded by Kathryn Carlson. The amendment was voted in the affirmative by hand vote.
Article 2 as amended was passed by voice vote.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300,000 dollars for the purpose of defraying the cost of preliminary and final plans and specifications or other preliminary expenses incidental to or connected with a proposed municipal sewerage system (the "Project"); said sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds and/or notes by the Town in compliance with the Municipal Finance Act, RSA 33, as amended, the Selectmen being authorized to invest the proceeds of such bonds or notes, to appropriate the interest earned thereon for the Project; to issue, negotiate and deliver such bonds and notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, the maturity and the other terms and provisions thereof as may be in the best interests of the Town; to contract for, accept and appropriate any federal, state or other funds and/or grants for the Project, the Selectmen being authorized to take all steps necessary to cause the Town to comply with the terms and conditions of such grants; and to take any other action or pass any other vote relative thereto.

A motion to accept the article as read was made by Edward Lary and seconded by Paul Rice. Presentation of the Canaan Village sewerage project was done by Stephen Geribo (project manager) and Mark Thompson of S.E.A. Consultants of Cambridge, Mass., and Paul Currier, supervisor of design review of NH WS & PCC. Considerable discussion concerned the need to collect and treat wastewater from approximately one hundred dwellings in the village where there is either now a failed septic system or direct discharge of sewerage or a reasonably great potential thereof in polluting ground water. A report of the study for the collection and treatment of the wastewater in the most cost-effective methods could be available for the next town meeting.

At 2:15 the moderator declared that the polls were open for voting by paper ballot on Article 3; the voting would be allowed to continue for at least one hour, a two-thirds approval would be needed for passage, and the results would be tallied before final action on Article 18.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $11,500 for the purpose of purchasing a chipper for the highway department. (Budget Committee - Not Recommended)

A motion to reject the article as read was made by Gilbert Downing and seconded by Roger Remacle, Sr. The motion to reject was defeated by voice vote; Article 4 as read was passed.

ARTICLE 5: (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,861 for the purchase of protective bunker pants for the Fire Department. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

The motion to accept the article as read was made by Thomas McDermott and seconded by Duane Mansur. Article 5 was voted in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and authorize the withdrawal of $24,172 and any accrued interest for that use from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

Police Department $24,172 and accrued interest

The motion to accept the Article as read was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Edwin Miller. Article 6 was voted in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will vote to create a Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of re-evaluation of all property in the Town of Canaan and to raise and appropriate the sum of $35,000. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

A motion to accept Article 7 as read was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Edwin Miller. Article 7 was voted in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $25,000 for land acquisition. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

A motion to accept Article 8 as read was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Edwin Miller. The land purchased would be for a stump dump site and garbage transfer station.
Article 8 was passed by a hand vote.

ARTICLE 9: (By Petition) Shall we adopt the provision of RSA 72:37 for the exemption for the blind from property tax? This statue be exempt each year from the property tax on a residence to the value of $15,000.

A motion to accept Article 9 as read was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Edwin Miller.

Amendment: Shall we adopt the provision of RSA 72:37 for the exemption for the blind from property tax? This statue provides that every inhabitant who os legally blind shall be exempt each year from the property tax on a residence to the value of $15,000. The amendment was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Edwin Miller. The amendment was defeated by voice vote.

The motion as first read was rejected by voice vote.

ARTICLE 10: To see if the Town will vote to rescind action taken at a previous town meeting not to elect the position of Welfare Director beginning in the year 1988.

A motion to accept Article 10 as read was made by Paul Rice and seconded by Edwin Miller.
Article 10 was rejected by voice vote.

ARTICLE 11: (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to give the Canaan F.A.S.T. Inc. exclusive use of the old Canaan Fire Station (next to the Town Hall).

A motion to accept Article 11 as read was made by Edwin Miller and seconded by Glenn Tucker.

Amendment: To see if the Town will vote to give the Canaan F.A.S.T. Inc., use of the old Canaan Fire Station (next to the Town Hall).
The amendment was made by Roger Easton and seconded by Lee Moses. The amendment was passed by hand vote.

A paper ballot was requested by the petition of six legal voters of Canaan. Of 126 ballots case, 40 were YES and 86 were NO. Article 11 as amended was defeated.

ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will vote to have the dump contract, commencing in January of 1989, be a contract to include door to door pickup. (Budget Committee - Recommends)

A motion to accept Article 12 as read was made by

Edward Lary and seconded by Kathryn Carlson. Article 12 was rejected by voice vote.

ARTICLE 13: To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provision of RSA 72:a-c which authorizes the Town to elect not to assess, levy and collect a resident tax.

A motion to accept Article 13 as read was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Edwin Miller.

Amendment: To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provision of RSA 72:1-c which authorizes the Town to elect not to assess, levy and collect a resident tax.
The amendment was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Glenn Tucker. The amendment was passed by voice vote.

Article 13 as amended was rejected by voice vote.

ARTICLE 14: To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to dispose of tax deeded property by public auction to the best interest of the Town.

A motion to accept Article 14 as read was made by Edward Labrie and seconded by Michael Burrows.

Amendment: To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to dispose of tax deeded property by public auction to the highest bidder.
The amendment was made by James Laffan and seconded by Lee Moses; the amendment passed by voice vote.

Article 14 as amended was voted in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 15: To see if the Town will authorize the prepayment of resident and property taxes due the Town to the Tax Collector as provided in R.S.A. 80:1-a and 80:52-a.

A motion to accept Article 15 as read was made by Edwin Miller and seconded by Albert Morris. Article 15 was passed in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 16: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money in anticipation of taxes as may be needed to meet the necessary running expenses of the Town.

A motion to accept Article 16 as read was made by Michael Burrows and seconded by Paul Rice. Article 16 was voted in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 17: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, accept, and expend, without further action by Town Meeting, money from the State, Federal or other governmental units or a private source which may become available during the ensuing year, provided that such expenditure be made for purposes for which a town may appropriate money that such expenditures not require expenditure of other town funds. Further, that the Selectmen hold a public hearing prior to accepting and spending

the money. R.S.A. 31:95-b.

A motion to accept Article 17 as read was made by Michael Burrows and seconded by Paul Rice. Article 17 was voted in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 18: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,244,755 to defray town charges during the ensuing year as submitted by the Budget Committee and that this represents the total amount voted including money raised in preceeding special Articles.

A motion to accept the Article as read was made.

Amendment: To see if the Town iwll vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,285,116 to defray town charges during the ensuing year as submitted by the Budget Committee and that this represents the total amount voted including money raised in preceeding special Articles.

A motion to close the polls on Article 3 voting was made by Paul Rice and seconded. At 5:05 P.M. the Moderator declared that the polls were closed for tallying on Article 3. A motion to recess the meeting for the purpose of counting votes was made by Edwin Miller and seconded by Janet Labrie.

The town meeting was reconvened at 5:12 P.M. by the Moderator who declared that Article 3 was passed by paper ballot: 154 votes case with 130 YES and 24 NO (103 YES votes were required for the 2/3 vote approval.)

The Moderator suggested, that since the money total in the Amendment was not correct, that the amendment on the floor be rejected; no objection was made to his suggestion and the amendment by voice vote was rejected.

Amendment: To cut the budget by $15,000, the $15,000 being taken from capital outlay line item 910.16 Fire Station renovation to Police Station. The amendment was made by Edwin Miller and seconded by Glenn Tucker. The amendment was rejected by voice vote.

Amendment: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,330,136, to include $10,000 into capital reserve for the purchase of a town-owned ambulance...
The amendment was made by Ruth Greenwood and seconded by William Arruda. The amendment was rejected by voice vote.

Amendment: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,320,136 to defray town charges during the ensuing year as submitted by the Budget Committee and that this represents the total amount voted including money raised in preceeding special articles.

The amendment was made by Edward Labrie and seconde by Edwin Miller. The amendment was passed by voice vote.
Article 18 as last amended was voted in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE 19: To transact any other business that may be legally brought before this town meeting.

Paul Rice publivly thanked the volunteers in the building of the new fire station on Parker Street; the Canaan voters seconded his comments with a rour of applause.

Paul Rice made a motion that the 1987 Town Meeting be adjourned; that was seconded.

At 5:35 P.M. the Moderator declared the meeting over.